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H. C. BREWSTER AS GUEST OF LIBERALS

Vancouver Members of Party Tendering Him a Banquet on Friday Evening

LEADER WILL DELIVER IMPORTANT ADDRESS

Policy for Honest Government of the Province Will Be Set Forth

MANY VICTORIANS ARE PREPARING TO ATTEND

Vancouver, Sept. 30.—The Liberals of the city and district organizations of Vancouver have completed arrangements to tender a banquet and ovation to H. C. Brewster, who was unanimously elected as leader of the Liberal party in British Columbia at the convention held in Revelstoke in the closing days of May.

This event will take place in Dominion hall on Friday evening, October 3, and the guests will be seated at 7.30 sharp. It is anticipated that a large number of Liberals as well as other citizens interested in the progress of the political welfare of the province will be in attendance. The affair will be informal, and the attendance of the general public is invited. A number of Victorians are expected to come over for the occasion.

The event has been inaugurated with a view to affording Mr. Brewster an opportunity to make his first public deliverance as leader of the Liberal party of British Columbia.

The new leader, who was president of the Provincial Liberal Association last year, is well known in the province, and especially on Vancouver Island. He occupied a seat in the legislative assembly for several years, defeating the then provincial secretary in the constituency of Alberni in 1907.

Since his election to the responsible position of leader Vancouver Liberals have had an ardent desire to tender him honor and to afford him an opportunity to lay before the electors of the city his personal views, and his views as leader as to the lines upon which he proposes that Liberal principles shall be carried into effect when the Liberal party triumphs at the polls.

Dominion hall will be tastefully decorated, and a programme of select musical renditions will add to the entertainment of the event. The toasts are numerous and will be proposed and responded to by the following well-known local Liberals: M. A. Macdonald, president of the Provincial Liberal Association; Maxwell Smith, vice-president; Ralph Smith, vice-president; J. W. DeB. Farris, president of the Vancouver City and District Liberal Association, who will preside; Major Hart McHarg, vice-president; George E. Housser, secretary.

The committee in charge of the arrangements consists of W. Truesdale, James B. Conley, W. H. Kelley, George H. Housser, J. W. DeB. Farris and Victor W. Odlum.

WOMEN OF ALBANIA EMULATING AMAZONS

Fight in the Ranks for Their Country; Grecian Women Also Do Their Share.

Vienna, Sept. 30.—Women are taking an active part in the fighting in Albania, according to dispatches received here from Avlona, the Albanian capital. Many Albanian women, armed with hatchets, fought shoulder to shoulder with their husbands, sons and brothers during the street fighting at Dibra, on September 23, when 1,200 Servians were killed and 300 taken prisoners.

The women of the Greek race in Southern Albania are also displaying a very warlike spirit. At Koritza, which is held by the Greeks, sixty girls have formed themselves into a company which is drilled by Greek non-commissioned officers.

According to reports received here, the Albanians captured Jakova only after heavy fighting. Prisrend, a few miles to the south, is surrounded by the Albanians and its fall is expected hourly. The Servian garrison consists of 6,000 men.

News from Avlona, on the Adriatic Sea, states that the Albanians have captured Ochrida after a fierce engagement.

STOP-WATCH TIMES THE RAPIDITY OF THOUGHT

New York, Sept. 30.—A stopwatch as a means of testing the working rapidity of the human brain was employed by an alienist yesterday in the case of Hans Schmidt, the German, who has confessed to having cut the body of Anna Aumuller into pieces and thrown them into the Hudson river.

Schmidt was examined at the instance of District-Attorney Whitman by Dr. George H. Kirby, who, as he asked the prisoner questions, used the watch to denote the time it took Schmidt to gather his ideas and put them into words. It is expected that Schmidt's plea when he is brought to trial will be insanity.

IMPRISONED MINER IS FED THROUGH A TUBE

Centralia, Pa., Sept. 30.—Miners today made desperate efforts to save the life of Thomas Toshesky, who was entombed last Friday in the Continental mine of the Lehigh Coal Company.

A hole was bored through the wall of the coal behind which he is imprisoned, and a tube was inserted. Though this food has been given him. First a bottle of milk was worked through the hole to him and to-day, after tubing had been inserted to prevent the hole from closing, he was served with milk and eggs.

Toshesky was buried in a similar manner some years ago in a mine at Ashland by a rush of loosened mineral.

POPE DISCUSSES THE MEXICAN SITUATION

Rome, Sept. 30.—Pope Pius held a long conference to-day on the subject of the situation in Mexico with the Most Rev. Leopoldo Ruiz, Archbishop of Michoacan, Mexico, who had come to Rome to present the report of his archdiocese.

The pontiff took great interest in the chances of the various candidates for the presidency of that country. He expressed the hope that lasting tranquility would eventually be achieved and said that he prayed God to grant peace and prosperity to Mexico.

STRIKERS ATTACK MINERS AT WORK

Renewed Disorder Marks the Situation in Copper Mine Strike at Calumet

INJUNCTION AGAINST PICKETING REMOVED

Women Are Greatly in Evidence Among the Rioters; Two Arrested

TOWN WITHOUT WATER OR FIRE PROTECTION

Calumet, Mich., Sept. 30.—Shots fired in two attacks on strikebreakers and numerous fights between union and non-union miners marked the copper mine strike to-day.

A special car with thirty men from a New York detective agency brought here by the Ahmeek Mining Company to assist in breaking the copper strike, was attacked, presumably by strikers, when it arrived at Ahmeek before dawn. A number of shots were fired at the car and the fire was returned.

The car windows was broken by stones hurled at them, but no one was hurt. When a barricade across the tracks prevented the car from reaching the mine it was brought back to Calumet.

A few hours later when the men returned to Ahmeek in automobiles many shots again were exchanged. Only one of the automobiles was hit, and as far as known no one on either side was wounded.

Disorder was rampant to-day in the Calumet and Kewennawa districts, following the dissolution by Circuit Judge O'Brien of the injunction against picketing and interference with the workmen by strikers. Attacks on men going to work were numerous, and several arrests were made by military and civil officers. The strikers were wildly demonstrative, and women sympathizers were again much in evidence.

Two women were among those arrested. Dinner pails were snatched from workmen and smashed on the streets and the officers were hooted. General P. L. Abbey, in charge of the 200 state troops, considers the situation serious.

Not a man reported for work at the Mohawk mine, due to threats by strikers last night. The mine fires died out and the town of Mohawk was without fire protection and water supply.

It is expected that the disturbances of this morning will lead to the application by the mining companies for a restraining order against intimidation and violence.

HON. SYDNEY FISHER CHOSEN CANDIDATE

Will Contest Chateauguay County, a Constituency Always Liberal Since Confederation.

St. Martine, Que., Sept. 30.—Hon. Sydney Fisher, ex-minister of agriculture, was yesterday nominated by the Liberal convention to contest the Chateauguay division against James Morris at the forthcoming bye-election.

This county has been represented in parliament since Confederation by a Liberal continuously, and by two families only in the forty-six years. Luther Holton was its member from 1867 to 1880, his son, Edward Holton, from 1880 to 1891, and James Pollock Brown from the latter year up to his death a few weeks ago.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier will speak in the county next week at several points, closing with a big rally probably on October 8.

IMPEACHED BY NEW YORK STATE

GOVERNOR WILLIAM SULZER

The chief executive of the Empire state is accused by the senate and house of assembly of having misused the funds subscribed for his campaign.

HINDUS ASK INDIA TO EXCLUDE CANADIANS

Speakers at Vancouver Meeting Bitterly Resent Attitude of Pacific Coast Dwellers.

Vancouver, Sept. 30.—Seventy-three Hindus who are at present held up by the Seattle authorities on the ground that they are likely to become public charges, have the entire Hindu population of Vancouver working for their release.

At a mass meeting last night it is stated that the sum of $25,000 was subscribed to release the Hindus now held in Seattle on bail. Indignation of the most belligerent nature was expressed by the assembly. A resolution was drawn up strongly protesting against the action, declaring that the Hindus were under no circumstances liable to become public charges, that they had money and were willing and able to become good citizens.

A copy of this resolution will be at once forwarded to the British ambassador at Washington, asking him to protect the rights of British subjects, and a duplicate of the resolution will be dispatched to the United States government.

Further discussion of the question of excluding Hindus from Canada took place, and the idea was bitterly resented. It was determined to ask the Indian government to support the Hindus in their contention that as British subjects they had a right to enter and settle in any part of the British dominions.

The Indian government will also be urged to the extreme step of excluding Canadians from entering India should the objection to Hindus in Canada be continued.

It was further stated openly in the meeting that Hon. Robert Rogers had promised the Hindus of Vancouver that their wives and children should be allowed to enter Canada, and they are relying on his promise in this matter.

PROSPECTORS RUSH IN IN PATENT LEATHERS

In Their Eagerness to Reach the Chisana Diggings Men Neglect Preparations.

Vancouver, Sept. 30.—The hardships endured by prospectors in the rush to Chisana, or Shushanna, are mostly of their making, according to E. W. Nesham, a boundary surveyor, who, with his chief, F. H. J. Lambert, has arrived here from Alaska.

Mr. Nesham says that men in their eagerness to reach the camp rush in unprepared. Many are going in now, and the only available supplies are those which they take with them. Those in the camps are now building cabins.

"Practically all of the property has been staked," said Mr. Nesham. "The men have gone in and staked their claims and then have come out again for supplies. There is consequently little digging going on there now. Trading posts will undoubtedly be established this winter.

"Even the old timers, in their eagerness, have rushed into the diggings without supplies or equipment for the country. Some have even started out in patent leather shoes."

While the surveying party was closing up its work the members climbed the Natazhat peak, in the St. Elias Alps, reaching an altitude of 13,435 feet. Mr. Nesham says that the boundary work is practically completed. The party will go from here to Ottawa.

REVIVES RUMOR OF PRINCE AS GOVERNOR

London, Sept. 30.—The court correspondent of the Sketch says:

"I can confirm on very high authority the statement made lately that Prince Arthur of Connaught will ultimately succeed his father as governor-general of Canada.

"This is one of the reasons for his marriage being hurried forward, since it was made a condition when the appointment was first offered him that he must be married before he took it over."

ANOTHER ARGUMENT FOR THE ADOPTION OF RECIPROCITY

Sir William Whyte Declares That This Year's Harvest Will Cause Blockade at Ocean Ports and a Deluge of Prime Milling Wheat on the British Market Which Will Cut Down the Price Received by Grain-Growers

Toronto, Sept. 29.—Chances of a wheat blockade at Montreal, which would back up to the Fort William elevators, the likelihood of a great proportion of this year's harvest being sent across the ocean by United States transportation companies through Buffalo, and prospects of a deluge of prime milling wheat upon the British market which might result in reduced prices for the northwestern producers were alleged by Sir William Whyte to-night in an interview.

Sir William reached the city to-day from a three-weeks' survey of the prairie provinces. Incidentally, he says, prospects are for a much greater wheat yield next year than this, barring an extraordinarily bad spring, as the ideal weather prevailing since June has permitted summer fallow and fall plowing, of which little was done in preparation for the crop that has just been harvested.

This same good weather has made this year's crop a most remarkable one, not a bumper yield, just an average yield. But all of the wheat is No. 3 Northern and better, the finest quality for milling that could be had. There will be 190,000,000 bushels of this, says Sir William.

The season has been ideal for growing, maturing, harvesting and handling. The prairie trails were smooth and hard and the grain was rushed to the railways like a flood. The railways were doing their full duty in rushing the grain to the vessels and elevators at the head of the lakes. There had been no interruptions in the movement and there had been splendid delivery to the small places, but there was a danger of a blockade at Montreal.

Cargoes might arrive faster than they could be accommodated, holding the vessels up at this point and preventing their return to relieve the elevators at the head of the lakes. Navigation from the Welland Canal closed down a month earlier than on the upper lakes, and here would cease the transportation via Canadian routes. The port of Buffalo will be receiving Canadian wheat to pass on to ocean ports a month after the transit has ceased down the St. Lawrence.

As to the prospect of a low price for wheat, Sir William said the British millers were canny. The western farmers, in need of money, were hurrying to get their crops on the way to the market. Once the British miller observed an avalanche of the finest quality of milling wheat pouring in upon him he would take to cover and not come out until he could have the golden grain at his own price.

SULZER NOT CANDID WITH HIS COUNSEL

Surprised Daily by Phases of Case of Which They Had No Hint in Advance

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 30.—Counsel for Governor Sulzer won a victory at his impeachment trial when Presiding Judge Cullen ruled out all evidence in connection with allegations that Sulzer bargained with Assemblyman Patrie, of Green county, for the passage of certain highway legislation. Judge Cullen took the ground that the charges were not specified in the articles of impeachment.

The end of testimony of witnesses for the board of managers was in sight today, but despite the prosecution's statement that no testimony on new features is likely, counsel for the board may be able to spring a surprise at the last minute.

The charge that the governor misused campaign funds is the one on which the board of managers' case now appears to rest. Testimony regarding this will be driven home with all possible force.

While the prosecution is finishing its presentation of testimony, Governor Sulzer's attorneys are preparing for the introduction of their witnesses. Their heaviest burden in the case thus far is the fact that the governor never has unburdened himself fully to them. His attorneys do not believe that he has wilfully misled them or concealed anything, but they have been confronted by surprises day after day in the courtroom—as angles of the case of which they never had heard were brought out.

At the opening of the morning session, Melville B. Fuller, of the brokerage firm of Harris & Fuller, was recalled to the stand. He opened the firm's ledger on the page bearing the account of William Sulzer.

MISSIONS IN DANGER OF CHINESE BANDITS

Attacks Made on Stations and Workers Stabbed; Troops Protecting Foreigners

Wahpeton, N. D., Sept. 30.—Fears occasioned by a recent communication from the Lutheran Brethren station at Tsao Yang, China, to the mission's headquarters here, telling of attacks by brigands upon members of the mission colony, were intensified by news reports last night reporting that eight foreigners at Tsao Yang had been captured by bandits.

A communication recently received from Rev. Mr. Helm, in charge of the station, told of an attack upon a number of the workers by bandits. The Rev. Mr. Aandahl and Miss Sather were severely stabbed.

The writer declared a reign of terror had existed in the Tsao Yang region since the recent revolutionary outbreak. Owing to the danger of attacks, the missionaries, usually scattered throughout the province, were assembled at the central station.

Peking, Sept. 30.—A missionary's telegram received to-day at Hankow from Fancheng, in the north of the province of Hu-Peh, says: "On Friday bandits looted and still hold the town of Tsao Yang. Eight foreigners, according to apparently authentic reports, were captured by them."

There is a missionary station at Fanchen belonging to the Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran Synod of America. The station is officered by five men and six women.

General Li Yuen Heng, vice-president of the Chinese republic, is sending troops to the district, but Tsao Yang is a long distance from Hankow.

Concerning the inter-provincial conflict, press dispatches from Chung King, in the province of Szechuen, say that troops from Kwei Chow province have annexed the town of Kiklang, across the Szechuen border, and it is feared they also will annex Chung Chang, which city they also occupy. Chung Chang has a population of 300,000 and contains the stations of several missionary societies.

The people of Chung King are said to be terror-stricken because many barbarities already have been committed. The troops have promised to protect foreigners.

GOLD DUST IS STOLEN ON EVE OF CLEAN-UP

Dawson, Y. T., Sept. 29.—Twenty thousand dollars worth of gold dust was stolen from the Levett Hill Hydraulic Company's works near Dawson late last night, when two masked men held up the men on the night shift and at the point of the gun, gagged and bound them.

They then removed the gravel from the riffles. Four sacks, comprising gravel with gold were taken. The company planned a cleanup there to-day, but the robbers got the big share of the total for the Hill's operations. Five men are implicated although only two men did the actual holdup.

Fred Bowers and Milford Halliday were in charge of the work at the time, and the day crew was asleep in the bunkhouse two hundred feet distant. It is believed the robbers will be captured soon.

CONVERT TRADES UNIONS INTO FIGHTING MACHINE REPLY TO BRITISH EMPLOYERS

Policy Being Planned by Leaders in England; Tom Mann, to American Audience, Asserts That an Economic Revolution Faces World, With the Workers in Control

London, Sept. 30.—The gage has been flung down by the labor unions in answer to the proposed employers' fund of $250,000,000 and the formation of the United Kingdom Employers' Defence Union, the object of which was announced to be the consolidating of the resources of the employers and the maintenance of their rights and freedom to deal with the labor unions.

A number of prominent labor leaders of the unions are planning a new policy by which, eliminating the benevolent feature of their organizations, will leave all the funds to supply the war chest; in other words, will convert the trade unions into a fighting machine.

The new policy may be extended so as to cover the production by the workmen themselves of the primary necessaries of life, without losing sight of the necessity of using to the fullest extent their forces for political and industrial action.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 30.—"The class war now being fought between labor and capital in the United Kingdom is not the dissatisfaction of a set of incapables, but the deliberate effort of serious-minded men, fully conscious of the causes of their poverty and absolutely confident of their own ability to cure the same."

This was a statement made by Tom Mann, a British labor leader, at a mass meeting here last night. Standards in the lives of workmen in the United Kingdom have been raised more by direct industrial action in the last few years than by parliamentary action in the preceeding 50 years, he said. He continued:

"The civilized world is confronted with the stupendous fact that an economic revolution is upon it. As one in favor of such a revolution, I am more than pleased with the hearty reception I have received throughout the United States, and with the great freedom of speech which has been allowed me. I had thought it might be different.

"Personally I am chiefly concerned with international industrial solidarity. When this once is achieved, workmen will be all-powerful in the industrial field, and neither capital nor governments would be able to withstand the economic changes determined upon by the workmen.

"The all-important purpose and the immediate aim of movements I am advocating is the reduction of hours of work internationally. Our ultimate aim is a six-hour day, five and a half days working week. This eventually will eliminate unemployment."

From here Mr. Mann will go to Kansas City and thence to the Pacific coast.

GOVERNOR SULZER'S RESIDENCE

The executive mansion at Albany, corresponding to the Government House of Canadian provinces. If Tammany succeeds in its attempt to crush Sulzer the governor will have to leave this building.

GET ON THE LIST

All who desire to be put on the voters' lists for the province, which lists of course are used in the case of a federal election, are reminded that the first Monday in October is the last day upon which they can make application to be placed on the lists at the November revision.

All who are not now on the list and who are entitled to be added at the coming revision should make application at once to the secretary of the Liberal Association, 619 Cormorant street, to the registrar of voters, Harvey Combe, at the law courts, or to any of the commissioners who are empowered to receive applications.

The qualification requisite is being a British subject of full age, with residence in the province for six months and in the district for one month before the claim to be inscribed on the list is made.

EIGHTY-ONE TO-DAY

LORD ROBERTS OF KANDAHAR

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JAPAN TO ESTABLISH GARRISONS IN CHINA

Would Make Celestial Kingdom a Battle-Ground Against Her Ancient Enemy, Russia

London, Sept. 30.—A Peking dispatch to the Daily Telegraph says: "Japan is preparing to make China a battle-ground. Her rivalry with Russia was not settled by the late war. No Russo-Japanese agreements whatever exist concerning Mongolia or correlated territory. The Japanese policy has been devoted to preserving the status quo in Manchuria, thus leaving her free to take any necessary countervailing steps.

"The Japanese policy in China, summed up, means the planting of garrisons, without territorial leases, thereby guaranteeing the integrity of China by forestalling others. At Hankgow the garrison of 2,000 men will be retained, and another probably will be planted at the Great Tayek mines nearby. Special Japanese concessions, under police control, were demanded at Nanking, which policy will be repeated at Fu Chow, Amoy and elsewhere. In case of trouble the railways, in which it was hoped that British capital would be interested, also would be demanded.

"The Japanese naval units will be instituted in Chinese waters. There will be no danger to British interests if Great Britain displays her usual flexibility.

"Peking is no longer the capital in the old sense, the loss of Mongolia and the absence of the usual intercourse rendering it unimportant and transferring the power to the south. Japan, with practically the whole Chinese revolutionary party under lock and key in Tokio, holds her hand to Great Britain, knowing that the alliance is more important now than ever."

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CABINET UNCERTAIN ON DATE OF SESSION

Some Ministers Favor November and Others Want Delay Until New Year Opens.

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—The Evening Journal says: "Notwithstanding the many rumors that parliament will not meet until January, the matter has not yet been definitely decided or even considered by the cabinet. It is understood, however, that the majority in the cabinet are in favor of delaying the session until after the new year, but there is still a possibility of the House meeting some time in November.

"Another week or so will see the cabinet ministers all back in the capital, and then fully six weeks will be left to prepare a legislative slate in time for a November opening. Much, however, will depend upon events within the next few weeks. There is a growing feeling, however, that not much would be gained by leaving the commencement of the session until after Christmas.

"The legislative programme this session should prove to be a very substantial one, and with the ending of the fiscal year on March 31, supply might well have to be voted without proper consideration in the event of much time having been given to other legislation.

WORK TO BE RESUMED ON GRAND TRUNK LINE

Completion of Southern New England Line is Ordered by the President.

Southbride, Mass., Sept. 30.—Work is to be resumed immediately on the Southern New England railway, the Grand Trunk subsidiary planned to connect the Canadian system with tidewater at Providence.

The construction stopped ten months ago, and it was charged that this was due to an agreement between C. S. Mellen, the president of the New Haven, and E. J. Chamberlin, president of the Grand Trunk. Last week Vice-President G. C. Jones came here and inspected the right-of-way throughout.

John Marsch, of Chicago, general contractor for the line, reopened his office to-day, and within a few days the steam shovels will resume operations. It will be some time before work will be general, because some of the sub-contractors have in many instances removed their apparatus.

MEXICAN VERSION OF SHOOTING AT TROOPERS

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 30.—That ten United States cavalrymen of Troop H, Second Cavalry, crossed into Mexico last Saturday and began shooting at three Mexican woodcutters, is the version of the international shooting incident near San Elizario, which has been given out by the federal officials of Juarez.

To prove their assertions, Col. Juan N. Vasquez, military commander of Juarez, showed a hat which one of the United States soldiers is alleged to have lost when the three woodcutters returned the rifle fire of the Americans and forced them to retreat, it is alleged, to the American side of the international boundary line.

In one report of the affair received by federal officials of Juarez, it was said three Mexican federals assisted the woodcutters in driving the American soldiers off after the shooting began.

DEAD AMONG LOVE LETTERS.

Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 30.—Lying in the ashes of a bundle of love letters he had burned before shooting himself, the body of L. A. Johnson, until recently telegraph operator for the Northern Pacific at Yelm, this county, was found dead in his room in a local hotel. It is believed he killed himself Sunday night. He leaves a sister in St. Paul.

LARGE PUBLIC WORKS.

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—Two large contracts are about to be awarded by the government. Tenders will be received up to October 15 for the extensive terminal works at Halifax, and on the same day for section two of the Welland canal. The Halifax work will cost about $10,000,000. For section three of the Welland canal tenders will likely be invited this week.

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RAILWAY DEBATE ON IN ALBERTA HOUSE

Premier Sifton Explains Plans for Building Alberta and Great Waterways Line

Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 30.—The debate on the bill providing for construction of the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway from Edmonton to Fort McMurray was begun in the legislature yesterday afternoon and will likely last for some days.

Premier Sifton, in moving the second reading of the bill, said that there were many considerations that commended it to the government, and which, he believed, would make it satisfactory to the people. The proposed agreement with J. D. McArthur had been endorsed by the bondholders and all the parties interested, including the government. Several objectionable features of the former agreement with W. R. Clark, of Kansas City, had been eliminated, and the province was now assured of a full mile of railway for every mile that was paid for.

T. M. Tweedie, of Centre Calgary, speaking as the railway authority of the opposition, contended that the proposed legislation was almost identical with the agreement of 1909 with Mr. Clark, which had been strongly denounced by a large section of the Liberal party in the province. He asserted that what he called the Cross faction of the government had forced the premier to accept this agreement with Mr. McArthur.

He outlined the policy of the opposition as being in favor of the government making arrangements with the banks and awarding the contract for construction as a government undertaking to the lowest tenderer.

George Hoadley, Okotoks, occupied the evening session, and says he may speak for some days.

CIVIC OFFICIALS ARE DROWNED WHILE FISHING

Were Probably Caught in a Logging Splash in Washington River.

Hoquiam, Wash., Sept. 29.—Edward Sea, street commissioner of Aberdeen, Harvey Kill, of the Aberdeen fire department, and George McLean, another civic employee of Aberdeen, are believed to have been drowned yesterday in the Humptulips river, north of this city, when caught in a logging splash while fishing.

Two companions on the fishing trip, Ernest Lindstrom, Aberdeen water superintendent, and Charles Ingram, at 8 o'clock last night, after an eight-hours' search, reported by telephone the disappearance and asked that a searching party be sent out.

When the missing men left they told their two companions they would be back in an hour for luncheon. A search party left late last night.

RAILWAYS RENEWS ITS REQUEST FOR CAPITAL

Canadian Pacific President, in Ottawa on a Secret Mission, Revives Rumors.

Ottawa, Sept. 29.—"There will be no fireworks," said Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C.P.R., who is in Ottawa to-day, referring to the annual meeting of his company which will take place shortly. He does not contemplate any surprises.

Sir Thomas would not divulge the purpose of his visit to the Capital, but it is believed here that it has something to do with the application for a sixty-million-dollar increase of capital stock which has been in the hands of the government now for over a year.

The tremendous expenditure involved this year in double-tracking east of Fort William and in the prairie provinces, in extensions to elevators and coal docks at the head of the lakes, improvement on the mountain sections and in various other enterprises will be urged, it is believed, as good reason for the increased capitalization.

EDMONTON POLICE SUED BY A MINER

Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 29.—Detective John Shaw, of the city detective department, S. H. Carpenter, chief of police, and the city of Edmonton were made defendants in a suit on Saturday, brought against them by Frank Thomas Williams, a resident of a British Columbia mining camp.

Williams was arrested here on September 9 on a charge of having stolen $596 from a miner in a dice game. He was held under $5,000 bail, and says he was told by Detective Shaw that he would be released if he produced the money. He did this and when he appeared before Inspector Raven in police court, was discharged because it was found that the offence had not been committed in Alberta.

Williams demanded the return of the money, but was refused and the matter was carried before Chief Carpenter, who, it is alleged, refused to give him anything.

ROOSEVELT'S PLANS.

New York, Sept. 30.—From about the middle of December to the end of March Col. Theodore Roosevelt will wander in the wilds of South America. Arrangements for this feature of the colonel's South American trip are announced. Little is said about times and places, because the colonel himself is not sure just where he will go or when he will emerge into civilization.

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CITY CLERK ONCE AGAIN RE-INSTATED

Council Removes Mayor's Suspension, Voting 5 to 3; Debate Waxed Warm

City Clerk Dowler, suspended last Wednesday by Mayor Morley, was reinstated by the city council last evening, the vote standing 5 to 3.

The aldermen rejected by the same majority the mayor's suggestion that the conduct of the city clerk's department should be left to the finance committee for a report.

As soon as the papers on the subject had been read Alderman Cuthbert rose and moved that the suspension should be removed.

Alderman McNeill seconded.

Suggests Investigation.

Alderman Meston moved an amendment that a committee of investigation should report to the council, declaring that if that course had been adopted the trouble which had arisen two weeks ago would not have been repeated.

Alderman Gleason said that he was not anxious that the finance committee should conduct the inquiry, but if the council desired to have that inquiry, it would be the duty of the committee to make it thorough.

The mayor indicated that he would never rest satisfied till an exhaustive investigation had been held.

Alderman Porter, another member of the finance committee, said the committee did not want to be concerned with further examination of this controversial subject.

Alderman Cuthbert said the aldermen had investigated already for weeks early in the year, and by a large majority had found suspension utterly unnecessary. There was no justification for the mayor's suspension.

Alderman McNeill observed that with the exception of Alderman Gleason and Alderman Meston the aldermen had all agreed at the time that the investigation was completely unnecessary, and that they had found there had been a desire to irritate the city clerk, rather than to help him in his work.

Alleges Bias.

Mayor Morley, speaking to the amendment, said it was all very well for Alderman McNeill to speak about the previous investigation of which he was the chairman, but he would tell the council that the chairman of the committee, together with several of the aldermen, had come to the sittings with their minds biased, and already determined upon what their course would be. He had done his best during the year to interest the aldermen in the internal affairs of that office, and what good had resulted? They had simply refused to help him in the work of the department and in reforming its conduct. During 1913 matters had been allowed to run anyhow in the departments of the city hall, and it was time some change was effected. The mayor then contrasted the administration of the department under Mr. Dowler and under Mr. Bradley, and asked the aldermen to look upon the results. Would anyone pretend that the city's business had suffered since Friday? He still believed that the work should be combined with that of the city solicitor under one general head.

A remark at the close of his address that he wanted equal justice for Mr. Dowler and himself was received with ironical laughter and some jeering in the large company assembled to listen to the proceedings.

Alderman Porter said that after the remarks of the mayor he would not be associated with any inquiry.

Alderman Cuthbert declared the observations about the chairman of the committee were a direct insult to every member of the board, and he characterized the mayor's remarks as slanders, imputations, and worse than that. As to the charge that the aldermen were biased, and would be afraid to face the electors in January he was quite prepared to meet the electors as soon as the occasion came. Were they to gather from the mayor's proclamation from the housetops that he did not intend to stand again, proof that he was waiting for those affectionate friends who were so warmly devoted to his service to beg him to come out, and, like some new Moses, lead them into the Promised Land of Reform? Rather would he be an Aaron to complete the task.

Ought to Be Ashamed.

He expressed the opinion that the mayor ought to be thoroughly ashamed of himself after the experience gained in the investigation when every ex-mayor and ex-alderman who had taken the stand had testified to the admirable way in which Mr. Dowler discharged his duties. Till the mayor commenced that unhappy campaign there had been harmony in the department. Now there was nothing but friction.

Alderman McNeill believed that the Canadian system of separating the city clerkship from the work of the solicitor was the best one, although he believed in the Old Country the city clerk was a lawyer by profession.

The council then divided on the amendment moved by Alderman Meston, which was supported by the mover, Alderman Gleason and the mayor, and opposed by Alderman Fullerton, Dilworth, McNeill, Cuthbert and Porter.

The motion to remove the suspension was then carried by the majority of 5 to 3.

DEAN CASE COMMENCES.

New Westminster, B. C., Sept. 30.—The case of Charles Dean, charged with robbing the Bank of Montreal, at New Westminster, of $271,000 on the night of September 15, 1911, was called yesterday before Mr. Justice Clements. The accused, who is being defended by Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K. C., and Adam S. Johnston, pleaded not guilty. A. H. Macneil, K. C., and E. P. Davis, K. C., are handling the case for the crown.

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UNDERWRITERS DESIRE TO BE CONSIDERED

Wish Views Looked Into Before Building By-law is Amended

Further consideration is to be given to the views of various bodies before the Building By-Law is amended. The Vancouver Island Fire Underwriters' Association's application to the city council last evening for copies of the by-law occasioned a remark from Alderman Gleason that the council, in dealing with the subject, had been considerably handicapped by interference from outside bodies.

Alderman Fullerton stated that the Builders' Exchange also wanted to be considered.

Alderman Gleason indicated that he would not oppose the Underwriters' Association having an opportunity to have its views considered, and under those circumstances consideration of the by-law was laid over to a future meeting.

The solicitor suggested, in connection with the proposal to allow the city wiring inspectors to exercise their functions in the Saanich municipality that some arrangement might be reached whereby conflict with the law might be avoided. He suggested that the chief inspector might be given a similar office by the Saanich authority, that the municipality might contribute a portion of the official salary, and that the fees might go into the treasury of the district where the work was done. Alternatively the council might allow him to be appointed inspector for Saanich, the work to be done only in his spare hours, in which case he would receive the fees exclusively.

In view of the fact that there are several matters affecting a joint arrangement between the city and Saanich, now under consideration, the mayor thought some definite plan should be reached as to the jurisdiction of the authorities. He pointed out that there were applications now under advisement for fire-protection, health-inspection, and supervision of wiring.

Alderman McNeill opposed the proposal to allow any official to be under two governing bodies. He thought a settlement could be reached in a better way than that. The council then laid over various points at issue between them and the Saanich council for a joint conference.

Considerable discussion took place on a suggestion that the minister of railways be approached with regard to the Herald street crossing of the Victoria & Sidney railway, at a point where Herald street joins Blanchard avenue. The Victoria and Sidney railway, after correspondence with both the city and the government, proposed to close up the crossing which connects Herald street with North Park street.

The mayor pointed out that an action of that character must depreciate the value of property on Herald street, and force the occupants to go round the whole block to reach any point east of Blanchard street.

The council supported the mayor in his determination not to allow the street to be closed up, and to approach the proper authorities to prevent this contingency arising.

A special committee consisting of Aldermen Cuthbert, Dilworth, Fullerton and Porter was appointed to bring in a final report on the Dallas avenue steps, following the receipt of a petition to have a concrete retaining wall built at the spot prior to the construction of the concrete steps which were started by the engineering department, but left in an unfinished state by instructions of council some two months ago.

A contract for a wagon shed and store-room on the city property on Chambers street was awarded to Parfitt Bros., at the price of $1,967.

FOUR BY-LAWS VOTES

Referendums With Regard to Sooke Waterworks Have Occupied Large Share of Attention.

For six years the ratepayers of Victoria have been voting upon by-laws affecting the Sooke waterworks undertaking, so that the expression of opinion which is sought from them on Thursday will be by no means a new thing.

At the general election of 1908 a referendum was submitted the ratepayers whether they were in favor of putting the Elk lake plant on a sound basis, and in addition calling for an expression of opinion as to their desire for the ultimate source of supply for the city. By a majority of 757 votes the electors chose the Sooke proposal.

It was not, however, until 1910 that the controversy became acute, and it was touch-and-go that year whether the holdings of the Esquimalt Waterworks Company should be expropriated. On November 24, 1910, the ratepayers voted against the purchase of the undertaking after one of the bitterest controversies which ever divided this city, giving a majority of 400 adverse to the purchase. This was the second time upon which the citizens had declined to have any dealings with the Esquimalt company. Directly after the election of 1911 the second referendum in which Sooke was mentioned expressly by name was carried by an enormous majority, the understanding being, however, that the contract which was subsequently let should be ratified by the electors again before any work was done thereunder.

Thus it came about that in January, 1912, for the third time Sooke waterworks occupied a prominent place on the by-law list, and the contract was, of course, endorsed. Now, on Thursday, for the fourth time the public is asked to double the original vote of asked to double the original vote of money, and so create the possibility for benefit of the large amount of capital invested to be felt.

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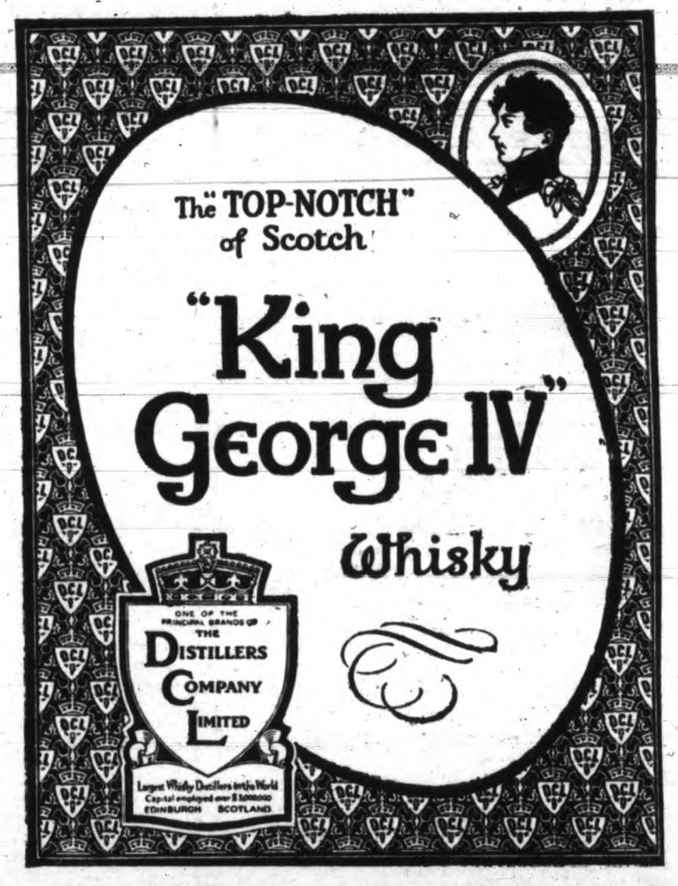

GOOD SKETCH AT EMPRESS

Graham Moffatt Presents Charming Scottish Playlet; Other Amusing Acts.

It is many a moon since the Empress theatre housed an act of the qualities of Graham Moffatt's one-act play, "The Concealed Bed," presented by a capable little company of Scottish players last night. This most delightful sketch depicted a few homely incidents in the small apartment in Glasgow of Mrs. Dewar and her family of two. In the absence of his mother and sister Bob Dewar had his chum, Norman Blair, in for a very wicked night of it, beer being the source from which sprang the confused thoughts and sore heads on the morning when the action of the wee drama began.

It so happened that mother and sister returned before they were expected and the chum, who was the sweetheart of Bob's sister, did not want her to know that he had been drinking as she had persuaded him to join the Sons of Temperance. Accordingly he hid in the closet bed. The fun began to be exciting when mother mistook his clothes for Bob's Sabbath day suit and cleaned out the pockets to put it away. Bob made heroic efforts to get his chum out of the difficulty, but just at the successful moment Madge entered and confessions were in order. The acceptance of the apologies provided a happy ending.

Additional comedy was furnished by the introduction of an unhandsome old maiden lady gossip, although she had nothing to do with the progress of the story. The delicate dialect and the quiet drollery of the situations were more subtle than vaudeville audiences are accustomed to, but the enjoyment was none the less marked.

There were a number of other amusing turns. Hastings and Wilson, the acrobatic comedians, with their caricatures of strong men acts and burlesques of tragic grand opera provided much enjoyment, while Norton and Earl with their comic songs and Miss Earl's sumptuous gowns also scored a big hit. A little brunette, who claimed to be a real Hungarian countess played well on an unusual instrument known as the Czimbalon. Billy Sheers' songs with their odd accompaniment of appropriate footwork, and Pathe's weekly completed the bill.

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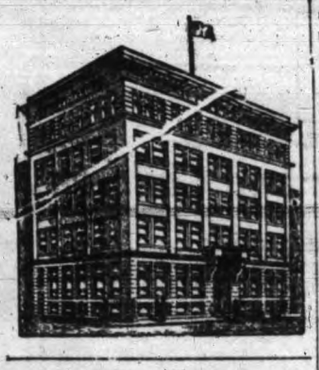

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CITY HALL TROUBLES.

The city clerk is again in the saddle, following his third suspension, and from the standpoint of elementary justice we cannot see how the council last night could have adopted any other course than to authorize his reinstatement. The reason assigned for his suspension and urged as a pretext for his dismissal was that he had employed a stenographer and a clerk for service during the absence on holidays of his chief assistant. The mayor contended that he or the finance committee of the city council should have been consulted before this temporary help was secured. On the other hand, the clerk says there is no provision in any statute, by-law, resolution or order-in-council requiring him to do this, and consequently he acted in accordance with common practice in the departments directed by the city treasurer and city engineer. In these circumstances we cannot see how the clerk's neglect to do what no instrument outlining his duties requires him to do can be accepted as fair ground upon which to justify his retirement from the municipal service. In any event, the proposed punishment was out of all proportion to the enormity of the offence, whatever the mayor believes that offence to be.

We agree with the mayor that reorganization is needed at the city hall, but not alone in the city clerk's office. The trouble is we have outgrown our whole municipal system. Our affairs are constantly in a muddle. We have made an unholy show of ourselves on the water question. We have frittered away a fortune on civic work, for which we did not get fifty per cent. value. If reorganization is needed, it is useless to begin at the bottom. And whatever system we adopt the duties of the departmental heads should be so clearly defined that it will be as impossible for anybody to dislocate the public service through a whim or caprice as it will be for a departmental head to assume an authority he does not possess. If the mayor has a scheme of reorganization let us know what it is—all of it. If it is a good one, it should be carried out, but it will be difficult to claim merit for any change which includes as a preliminary petty exhibitions of temper and personal enmity.

DRIFTING.

There is still some speculation in government circles at Ottawa as to the date of the meeting of parliament. No one is quite sure yet whether the legislators will be called together to transact the business of the country before Christmas or in the beginning of the year. There always will be speculation about such things while Mr. Borden heads and does not lead an administration. The course will be directed by the person who sees Mr. Borden last. The premier has no mind of his own. Whether parliament will meet this year or next will probably be determined by Hon. "Bob" Rogrs, who is understood for the present to be "master of the administration." No one will deny that the man from Manitoba has some strength of character, although the common belief is that there is little else in his makeup that is admirable.

Parliament, our readers will remember, was called together in the fall of last year because of the dire emergency in British naval affairs. Mr. Borden had been in London, and had seen the emergency in all its terrible import. He announced that he would lay a measure before the Dominion house, and that if it were not passed speedily he would dismiss the members and appeal to the country. The House was somewhat sceptical respecting the substantial nature of the emergency and refused to accept the thirty-five million dollar programme until it was forced down its throat by closure. The Senate had its doubts, too, and suggested ascertaining what the electorate thought about the matter before it became effective. Mr. Borden hesitated about doing any such thing, notwithstanding his expressed belief that the fate of the empire depended upon speedy and effective action. In the meantime the emergency has gone the way of all ghostly creations. It has been dissolved by the light of publicity. The fleet on the North Sea has been dismembered, to some extent at least. The forces on the Mediterranean have been augmented, and a small fleet has been stationed at Bermuda. Consequently the fact is not to be wondered at that Mr. Borden is himself somewhat at sea. In the meantime, the situation having cleared somewhat, and the emergency having gone the way of all ephemeral things, an announcement comes from the east that Hon. F. D. Monk, who resigned his portfolio in the Borden government because he could not accept his chief's naval policy, will take his seat in parliament again. If that is true, it portends that the Premier has decided to drop his contribution policy. But it signifies also that the government will not propose any substitute therefor, because a Canadian navy is just as abhorrent to Mr. Monk and the Nationalist allies of Mr. Borden as a policy of contributions. Consequently nothing effective will be done. The Premier will pursue his natural temperamental inclinations, which is to let things drift. The naval policy and all other policies will float upon slack water until in the course of events the government is forced to appeal to the constituencies. But while the ship of state is drifting Mr. Rogers will spend money with a prodigal hand, and the Minister of Finance will be compelled to find the funds even if he has to go to the money market every year. He has had to make one trip already in order to meet the requirements of Hon. "Bob."

A TREATY OF WAR.

The treaty of peace between Turkey and Bulgaria was as inevitable as it was ironical. Six months ago these two nations had their fangs buried in one another's throats. It was Bulgaria which worked the greatest havoc to the Porte's fortunes. It was her soldiers that compelled the capitulation of Adrianople, the ancient capital of Turkey. One would have thought that the memory of that struggle would have become an insurmountable barrier to a rapprochment for all time, but now we behold them brothers in arms in a fast embrace. Here we have an object lesson on the overwhelming influence of self-interest. It is shown to be stronger even than those old racial antagonisms which deluged the Balkan plains with the blood of brave men; stronger than the dogged hatred of the Turk for the country whose victorious arms laid sacrilegious hold on one of her most sacred capitals. Largely because of Bulgaria, Turkey was driven back into the very toe of the peninsula over which she had lorded for centuries. Now through the same agency she hopes to obtain territorial compensation for what she has lost.

The war of the spoils among the pseudo champions of Christendom is responsible for the mutual discovery of virtues to which both the signatories of the new instrument had been oblivious. The inordinate ambition of Czar Ferdinand had allied against him the equally ambitious monarchs of the other Balkan countries, and he met with disaster almost as serious as the debacle which overtook the Turk. In the meantime the Porte had called upon its well-known powers of recuperation, reorganized its army, and, tearing to tatters the Treaty of London, not only reoccupied Adrianople, but is now fomenting trouble in the alleged autonomous Albania, also established by this convention. This treaty was the result of pressure exercised by the Concert of Europe, which is in the somewhat ridiculous position of having compelled the belligerents to sign it, but not daring to compel them to observe its terms for fear of precipitating trouble among themselves. Nevertheless had the Great Powers demanded that Turkey evacuate Adrianople and remain within the territorial delimitation created by the treaty, Bulgaria might not have considered it worth while to enter into the alliance which yesterday became a fact.

The new treaty of peace between Bulgaria and Turkey is really a treaty of war. It was the Treaty of London ending the war between the Balkan confederacy and the Turkish Empire which was intended to be a treaty of peace. The purpose of the latest agreement is to enable the signatories to wrest from the Balkan states, principally Greece and Servia, much of what these powers had won. A short time ago when Czar Ferdinand, beaten and dejected, was forced to sign the treaty of Bucharest dictated by Roumania, Servia and Greece, he did so with every reservation in the world, and significantly told his soldiers to wait until some future day, when their valor would vindicate their country's honor. The treaty with Turkey yesterday brings that day appreciably nearer. The two have sworn a vendetta, and unless the Great Powers take a determined stand in the Balkans the peninsula again will be saturated with blood.

The leader of an exploration party in the far north, in the neighborhood of the arctic circle, writes: "The Eskimos are all happy, well and apparently prosperous, having plenty of food and good clothing." Let the Eskimos look out, however. Civilization is spreading. One of these days some enterprising outsider will get a corner on whale blubber, seal meat and the skins of polar bears. Then the now happy northlanders may be reduced to eating the flesh of the musk ox, which is notoriously strong. Let the Eskimos, if they are wise, dodge the blessings of civilization.

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Honorable Louis Coderre, Secretary of State, has broken the charm. Invited to attend a banquet to Sir Rodolphe Forget at Ste. Anne de Beaupre the other day, he ordered the government steamer to convey him to the scene. By train Ste. Anne is only four or five hours' travel from Montreal, and there is an excellent service. Probably Mr. Coderre was tired of travelling by special car. He wanted a change, but it was the first time a minister had ordered a government boat to take him to dinner.

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The Trades and Labor Congress passed a resolution deprecating the enlistment in the militia of members of labor unions. At the same gathering a strong stand was taken against permitting a cheap class of foreign labor to enter this country. How, in the final analysis, could we prevent Canada from being over-run by these people if we had no armed forces to support our policy? Certainly not by passing resolutions.

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Three candidates have been nominated for the Presidency of Mexico. When the results are announced it will be found that two brand new revolutions have been added to the present collection, provided, of course, a regrettable accident does not occur in the meantime which would return one of the aspirants by acclamation.

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All those who desire to be put on the voters' list must register before October 6. Applications can be made to the secretary of the Liberal Association, 619 Cormorant street, or to Harvey Combe, registrar of voters at the law courts. This is urgent, and all those qualified should attend to it at once.

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The Mediterranean squadron has been strengthened by the addition of formidable fighting ships detached from home waters. Another squadron composed of cruisers of the County class has been sent to Bermuda, where it henceforth will be based. What has become of that imminent emergency which, we were told, lurked in the North Sea?

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Is it possible, we wonder, for Sir Edward Carson to import Henri Bourassa into the Ulster campaign? Stranger things have happened, Mr. Bourassa's alliance with Mr. Borden being a case in point. Besides, we should remember that his illustrious grandfather, the eloquent Papineau, was "some revolutionist."

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A correspondent in the Times yesterday declared that on the roadwork throughout the province Canadian and British-born voters were being distriminated against in favor of foreigners. This is a serious charge and should be answered by the provincial authorities. Are aliens employed because it is easy to control their votes?

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Lord Northcliffe in Toronto said the immigrant was the best advertising medium a country could have. This is very true, and we should bear it in mind when inducing immigration to Canada. Immigrants who come here and are unable to obtain employment are able to do the country almost irreparable harm.

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Our American cousins acknowledge that they owe something to Canadians for their achievements in the realm of athletics. They admit that Ouimet, the youth who won the golf championship for them, is of French-Canadian origin. But Nap. Lajoie and Rube Marquard have also achieved some fame in a narrower field.

SUPPOSING.

From Canadian Liberal Monthly.

Just suppose the cases were reversed and Liberal ministers were now in power and things are as they are. Imagine what the Conservative press and Messrs. Borden, Rogers, Crothers et al would say:—

Supposing Sir Wilfrid Laurier had formed an alliance with the Nationalists of Quebec, declared that unless parliament gave three Dreadnoughts to the Admiralty, he would appeal to the country, and then had gone quietly away to the seashore.

Supposing Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance, had brought down appropriations last session aggregating $250,000,000, and had practically doubled the expenditure in two years. Supposing he had given a charter to La Banque Internationale after a memorandum of the Treasury Board had set forth reasons why a charter should not be granted. Supposing he had consented to a straight gift of $7,000,000 to Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann, had then gone off to enjoy himself for two months in Europe, and had returned with Sir William Mackenzie on a Mackenzie and Mann steamer, as did Hon. W. T. White.

Supposing Hon. Wm. Paterson, as Minister of Customs, had sold his biscuit factory to the government for marine works, as did Hon. J. D. Reid in the case of his starch factory at Prescott.

Supposing Hon. Frank Oliver, as Minister of the Interior, had given away to a prominent Liberal politician in Prince Albert a homestead worth $375,000.

Supposing Hon. Geo. P. Graham, as Minister of Railways, had degraded the National Transcontinental Railway and had raised rates on the Intercolonial Railway at the same time that the people of Western Canada were applying to the Railway Commission for a decrease of railway rates.

Supposing Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, as Postmaster-General, had suddenly placed with a newly organized company of Liberal politicians an order for mail bag locks at one dollar apiece, sufficient to supply the department for a lifetime.

Supposing Hon. Wm. Pugsley, as Minister of Public Works, had increased in two years the vote for public buildings from eight millions to twenty-eight millions per year and the total expenditure of his department on capital and current account from twelve to forty-eight millions; or supposing that he had been the prime mover in instituting brute force methods in parliament and had substituted the "gag" for the constitutional rights of free speech.

Supposing Mr. Frederick Borden, as Minister of Militia, had suddenly jumped expenditures for militia purposes from less than seven millions per year to over twelve millions and had started to scatter drill halls all over the country whether there happened to be militia units at the chosen centres or not; supposing, as did the present Minister of Militia, he had taken Sir Ian Hamilton at the country's expense to a Liberal picnic and pinned a Liberal badge on his breast; or had travelled across Canada by a special military train and charged the country $40,000 therefor; or had gone to England to again witness the British army manoeuvres and taken 23 officers with their wives and lady private secretaries with him.

Supposing Hon. Mackenzie King, as Minister of Labor, had failed to apply the provisions of the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act to the Vancouver Island miners' strike, had merely made a cursory and belated personal investigation, reported failure of his attempt at personal intervention, had a business associate and personal friend accompany him at the country's expense and had left his friend to make a formal report, at a large fee per day, as to why the militia had to be called in and then had gone blandly off on a two months' holiday jaunt to England.

Supposing—but what's the use continuing the analogy? The howl that would be going up from the Conservative ranks if Liberal Ministers had been guilty of one-half the sins of omission and commission already accumulated by the present ministry, would even on the few counts just noted, be loud enough to spread over at least two general elections.

ROYAL CIGAR.

A Manchester Guardian correspondent who has been staying in the Sandringham district brings back the following story: The late King Edward, walking one day about the estate, took shelter from a sudden thunderstorm in a keeper's cottage. The keeper and his wife dried his wet coat before the fire, gave him some tea, and made him quite at home.

When the storm was over and the King was leaving the cottage he asked the keeper what he would like as a memento of his visit. The old man said he would like to have one of the King's famous big cigars, which were made much of in the newspapers. The request was granted at once. "I shall keep this till I die, and smoke it then," said the old man.

This actually came to pass. A few years later the old keeper became bedridden, and instinctively knew that his end was near. He told his son to bring him "the King's cigar" out of the box where he had always treasured it, and to light it for him. Then, propped up on the pillows, he puffed away with great satisfaction and a smile on his face. Before he had finished it he fell back and died.

Until October 1st.

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Real Estate and Insurance

Wednesday --- An Important Sale of Sample Velvet Coats at One-Third Less Than Regular Prices

A GOOD VELVET COAT has long been favored by women who love to wear garments that have a rich appearance, a delightful degree of comfort and possess the qualities for wearing well. Here's a line of sample Coats that we have purchased at a big price concession and marked for special sale to-morrow. They are extremely handsome Coats and come in a variety of styles. Some made to fasten close up to the neck; others showing long lapel effect and fastening with silk frog. All are silk or satin-lined and some are very smartly trimmed on collars and cuffs with plain or corded silks, satin or lace. To appreciate this offering the Coats must be seen. Values that would sell in the ordinary way up to $150. Our special sale prices Wednesday vary from $23.75 to $100.00

Silk Waists Special Sale Wednesday at $4.90

AT such a low price and with such a large variety of different styles and materials to select from these Silk Waists should find a very quick sale on Wednesday. Included are chiffon, shot taffeta and messaline silks, in plain and fancy stripes, in a big variety of shades and colors and full particulars as to their styles and qualities can be gathered by seeing the samples displayed in the View street windows. They tell their own story far better than we can tell it here, and when you see the goods you will easily recognize that they are worth at least half as much again. Special sale Wednesday, each $4.90

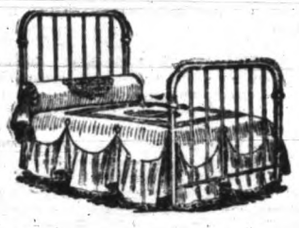
See View Street Windows.

Solid Oak Dressers

THE following are two very special values we are now showing in solid oak Dressers. Although they come at a very low price they are well made and finished, and will give excellent service.

Solid Oak Dresser, fitted with bevelled mirror and 2 large and 2 small drawers, finished in the golden color, well-made throughout. Special value at $13.50

Princess Dresser, made from solid oak and well-finished; large British plate mirror, 2 small and one large drawer. A handsome piece of furniture. Special value at $19.75



Brass Beds

We have a very extensive range and they can be seen in the department on second floor. One very special line we are now showing in a handsome Bed made with 2-inch continuous posts and filled with five brass fillers. Your choice from satin or bright finish, similar to cut. A good, serviceable bed for $17.50

Axminster and Wilton Squares

24 only, Axminster and Wilton Squares, size 3x4 yds. These Squares are made from the finest quality of yarn, artistic in design and very delicate in colorings, suitable for any style of room and will give excellent wear. Wednesday, each.....$42.50

VELVET SQUARES

12 only, Good Quality Velvet Squares, all woven in one piece. Some of the colorings are plain with band borders, others are finished with illuminated borders. Size 3x3½ yds. Hard-wearing quality. Special, each $22.50

SEAMLESS TAPESTRY SQUARES

24 only, Tapestry Squares, woven all in one piece; interwoven borders; some having medallion centres; very rich in color and design. These Squares will give excellent wear and are suitable for any style of room. Size 3x4 yards, each.....$13.50

INLAID LINOLEUM

500 Square Yards of Scotch Inlaid Linoleum, made with the pattern going right through to the back. The designs are in floral, block and tile effects, both in light and dark shades. Special, per square yard .....85¢

TAPESTRY PORTIERES

25 Pairs of Tapestry Portieres, very silky in appearance, reversible in design, finished with heavy knotted fringe, both top and bottom. A large range of colors to select from; reds, greens and brown. A very effective portiere. Special, per pair, Wednesday $4.50

SCRIM CURTAINS

50 Pairs only. These Curtains are something entirely new; they are made from mercerized scrim and very silky in appearance. Some are made with hemstitched borders; others are finished with lace edges. They are in ivory and ecru; 2½ yards long; 36 ins. wide. Price, per pair.....$3.00

NOTTINGHAM NETS

300 Yards of Fancy Nottingham Nets, made in the fine lacy patterns, also the large bold patterns. These nets are suitable for many purposes, as well for small windows. They are finished with lock-stitched edges and come in white, cream and in ecru. Price, per yard .....35¢

65c Wool Delaines for 50c Wednesday

And the best of this offering is the fact that it's all new goods and this season's patterns. They measure 30 and 31 inches wide and come in fancy stripes and floral designs. Just the thing for Fall and Winter wear. Special Wednesday, per yard, only .....50¢

35c SHIRTING FLANNELS FOR 25c

Only a few pieces to clear at this low price in a stout quality cloth and patterns most suitable for working shirts and men's night shirts.

15c FOR REGULAR 25c FANCY BATTENBURG CENTRE PIECES

20 dozen of these pretty linens to be cleared at nearly half-price. Three of these sewn together make a pretty sideboard scarf.

FANCY FOULARDS, REGULAR 25c FOR 15c

Just a few pieces of Summer goods that were not cleared during the sale, hence this reduction. A soft mercerized fabric in a perfect weave. The price should make a speedy clearance on Wednesday.

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Men's Hats and Caps

We have just received another large consignment of Men's Hats and Caps direct from one of the foremost manufacturers. All the latest blocks in Fedora and Crushes, in shades of browns, greens, fawns and black. Also Stiff Hats in black only. A very special line at $1.50

Donegal Tweed Caps in all the leading shades and patterns. Special value at.....75¢

Boys' and Youths' New Fall Hats, in all the leading shades of browns, greys, steel and black. Price, each $1.50

Boys' Stitched Tweed Knockabout Hats for school wear, silk-lined and in all the new shades. All sizes. Each $1.00

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The North and South Saanich Agricultural Society's

46th Annual Fair

Will be held on

Saturday, Oct 4

at

SAANICHTON

A good sports programme has been arranged, including lacrosse match, 5-mile motor bicycle race and other open and local races.

Entries for sports should be made to H. P. Allberry, Secretary, Saanichton.

Cheap fares on both railways.

PLANS OF BRIDGE FILED.

Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Will Use Bascule Type Across Selkirk Water.

The plans for the Canadian Northern Pacific railway bridge across Selkirk water have been filed, and as the bridge will form a very prominent feature in Victoria's beautiful waterway, the design must be of interest to the public.

There are two openings in the bridge, 60 feet and 25 meet wide, for the passage of small boats. A bridge of the bascule type is planned. It is the intention to fill in 1,100 feet from the Gorge ravine bridge westward, and the remainder of the bridge, with the exception of the openings mentioned, will be constructed of pile trestles 15 feet apart.

The clearance of the bridge above extreme low water will be 23 feet. It will cross from the Songhees reserve to the gully under the Gorge bridge, and will be the means by which the Canadian Northern trains will reach the terminals.

WED AT SOOKE.

First Marriage at Presbyterian Church Was that of Miss Emily E. Matthews and Mr. Alfred Higgs.

The first marriage to be celebrated in the Presbyterian church at Sooke, B. C., took place on Saturday, September 27, when Mr. Alfred Higgs and Miss Emily E. Matthews, both of Sooke, were united in the bonds of wedlock by Rev. Joseph McCoy, M. A., of Victoria, and Rev. Joseph Johnstone, of Sooke. The bride wore her traveling costume, and carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Nellie Lightfoot, of Sooke, was bridesmaid, and Mr. David Menmuir, of Victoria, attended the bridegroom. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers by the many friends of the bride. To the joyous pealing of the bell the happy pair left the church, amid showers of rice starting on the first stage of their honeymoon, which will be spent in visiting the Sound cities.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Sands & Fulton, Ltd., funeral directors, 1515 Quadra street. Phone 3306. •

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Ladies' Tailor.—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 5, Haynes Blk., Fort street. •

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Hanna & Thomson, Pandora Ave.—Leading Funeral furnishing house. Connections: Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg. •

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S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; Secretary, L1738. •

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Phoenix Stout, $1.50 per doz. qts. •

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The B. C. Funeral Co., Chas. Hayward, president, 734 Broughton street. Calls promptly attended to. Phone 2235. •

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Economy Wet Wash Laundry.—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3389. 2612 Bridge street. •

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Phoenix Stout, $1.50 per doz. qts. •

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Baby Car Specialists, 758 Fort St. •

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The Hospital for Sick Lawn-Mowers is at 614 Cormorant. Cure guaranteed. •

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When It Comes to Scissors.—Use the "Wiss" brand made by the best skilled workmen, from the very best materials. They won't break if let fall. They keep their edge. Every pair fully guaranteed. Sold at R. A. Brown & Co.s, 1302 Douglas St. •

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For Fire, machine, automobile, liability, sickness and accident, plate glass, elevator and employers' liability, consult Gillespie, Hart & Todd, general agents for British Columbia. All claims settled and paid by our office. •

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The Key Shop, 610 Pandora St. •

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Sepia's Are Still the last word in artistic photography. Just the thing for your Xmas portraits. The Skene Lowe Photo Studio, 654 Yates St., cor. of Douglas. •

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H. Harkness & Son, wholesale and retail wallpaper dealers, 917 Pandora avenue. Estimates furnished. •

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Baby Car Specialists, 758 Fort St. •

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The Umbrella Shop, 610 Pandora St. •

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Fresh Killed Lamb.—Forequarters, 18c lb.; hind cuts, 25c. Brown & Cooper, 910 Gordon St. •

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A Dance Will Be Given in the Victoria Club, Campbell Building, on Saturday, October 4 and 11 at 8.30. Tickets $1, including refreshments can be had from Mrs. Michael Hallward, 1028 Hulton Street. Phone L3381. •

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A Woman This Time—And she was a wise woman who came in and bought a 10-piece toilet set for one third less than regular prices. We have a window full of these bargains. $5.00 sets, $3.35; $4 sets, $3; $3.50 sets, $2.35. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St. •

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Disapproved Proposal — On the ground that the council had no intention of establishing an industry in a residential district when granting a permit there to use the springs, the city solicitor advised the council, having in view the issue of a building permit, not to proceed to litigation on the subject, but to leave it to private persons to take action if desired. Alderman Cuthbert asked if city would indemnify the private citizen when the matter was taken before the courts. The solicitor requested time to consider the new situation, the request being granted.

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New Basketball League.—A basketball league to include clubs in the Y. M. C. A.'s of Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster was formed in Vancouver last week, H. G. Beall, of the local association, attending from this city. It will be known as the North Pacific Coast Basketball League. G. S. Maxwell, of Vancouver, is the first president; H. G. Beall, vice-president; F. Brook, secretary-treasurer, and G. I. Sovereign as the other member of the executive. Home and away games will be played between the four clubs under the Spaulding rules and dates for the Vancouver vs. Bellingham games have been fixed. The remainder of the schedule is to be published shortly.

Phoenix Stout, $1.50 per doz. qts. •

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Sends Horses to Fair.—E. Henderson has shipped some of his horses to New Westminster for the horse show there. He will show his chestnut mare, Warwick Lily in several of the hunting and jumping classes.

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New Office Created.—J. R. Grant, of Vancouver, has been appointed to the new office of crown solicitor for the County of Westminster. He will conduct all speedy trials for the Crown and will advise the provincial police in his district.

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Condole With Parents.—A resolution of condolence to the mother and family of Miss E. M. S. Griffiths, for six and a half years a faithful employee of the Oak Bay council, was passed by that council last night, Miss Griffiths having died within the past week.

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Gold Not Spread Out.—E. E. Strachan of the auditor-general's department at Ottawa, who has just returned from a tour of the Yukon territory, states that the new strike may contain plenty of gold, but that it is all confined to a few claims which were all staked before the rush began.

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Council Will Meet.—The next meeting of the council of the Board of Trade will be held in the Bastion street rooms at 10.30 on Friday morning. The chief business will be the preparation of the business for the quarterly general meeting to be held on the following Friday.

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Boy Scouts to Parade.—In order to assist the citizens' committee at the carnival next Friday, October 3, all Boy Scouts will parade at the Arena rink, the Willows, at 7.30 p. m. Troop flags are to be carried, in addition to the brigade flag. Scoutmasters will report to the secretary, J. E. Andrews, on their arrival at the rink the number of scouts present in their troop.

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Saanich Exhibition.—A special train service for Friday and Saturday on the B. C. Electric Saanich interurban line has been arranged by the management to accommodate visitors to the annual exhibition of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society, which is to take place at Saanichton. It is stated that the show will easily surpass any previous affair of the kind at Saanich.

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Boy Nearly Drowned.—Charles McGregor, the 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McGregor, of this city, had a narrow escape from drowning in American lake near Tacoma Sunday when the canoe in which he and another lad were paddling capsized. McCord McDonough, McGregor's companion was drowned, but the Victoria boy succeeded in clinging to the upturned canoe until assistance reached him.

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A Troublesome Passenger.—Robert Lynch, who was the cause of trouble on the Esquimalt & Nanaimo train yesterday evening, annoying the passengers, and becoming engaged in a fracas with the conductor, was fined $20 in police court this morning. Two men, Watson and Sheriff, who from words came to blows on Government street last evening, were each fined $5.00.

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Building Total for Month.—Demonstration of the steady progress of building in Victoria is given in the September returns, which at noon stood at $233,805, $3,316,960 being the figure for the year. While the total value of permits in September, 1912, was $377,540, conditions were altogether exceptional last year, and it was not to be expected that the high figures would be retained. Permits have been issued to N. H. Caulfield for a house on Blackwood street costing $2,000, and to M. Henderson for a residence at 335 Moss street, costing $5,000. The structure will be erected by J. Robertson.

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Speaks at Westminster Hall.—Rev. J. G. Inkster, of the First Presbyterian church, addressed the graduating class at the sixth annual convocation of Westminster hall, on Saturday last, in which he urged his hearers to make an effort in their preaching to make their congregations a thing in reality as well as in name. In Victoria there were, he said, 10,000 people confessing to be Presbyterians, but the church congregations showed only 2,000. Young men should make themselves a power in the community, and should show their courage in putting down gambling and the evils attendant on horse-racing.

How Charges Will Be Met.—As explained in the Times last week the city will pay off £628,000 of the £691,000 treasury bills due on Thursday, and of the balance £100,000 will be renewed for six months, and the remainder for twelve months.

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Number of Alarms.—There have been 21 alarms turned in to the fire department this month, the only serious fire at which the men attended being that outside the boundary at the plant of the British Columbia Pottery Company on September 21, when damage amounting to over $100,000 was caused by an outbreak.

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Saanich Council.—At the meeting of the Saanich council this evening it is expected that reference will be made to the municipality's share in the Northwest trunk sewer, to fire protection, and to the arrangements for electric wiring in the municipality, as the district council desires the city officials to undertake the inspection work.

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All True Bills.—True bills were returned by the grand jury this morning against Winsby and Rand, the two Canadian Mineral Rubber Company officials accused respectively of bribery and aiding and abetting the bribery. True bills were also returned in the Cameron and Lab Singh cases. A true bill against Sam Hirsch was brought in last night. In the Johnson case the grand jury is waiting for the police to find a certain witness.

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To Ascertain Number.—All white men, resident in Victoria, who wish to work on the Sooke waterworks are to have a chance to make their names known to the city council. At the same time the committee appointed yesterday to investigate the employment of aliens on the waterworks will ascertain how many men in the city wish work on the undertaking. Alderman Cuthbert, chairman of the committee, stated this morning that he wished to find out the truth behind all the talk regarding the great number of men requiring work. All applicants are expected to send their names in writing to the city clerk, mentioning whether or not they are voters.

ST. MARY'S DEDICATED

Bishop of Columbia Preaches at Oak Bay Church; Edifice Now Seats Over 400.

The Harvest and Dedication Festival of St. Mary's, Oak Bay, took place last Sunday, very large congregations being present both at the morning and evening services. At the 11 o'clock service the pulpit was occupied by the Lord Bishop of Columbia, who spoke of the great pleasure it gave him to be there at the dedication of the new aisles, by means of which the accommodation of the church was increased to over four hundred.

The sermon in the evening was preached by the Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, who, amongst other things, laid stress on the fact that within two years of the opening of St. Mary's it had been found necessary to double the accommodation. The processional hymns were sung by the surpliced choir, and joined in with the greatest heartiness by the congregation, the service being taken by the Rev. G. H. Andrews, the priest in charge of St. Mary's. Canon Cowley read the lessons both in the morning and in the evening.

The church, which for the occasion had been decorated with quantities of flowers by the ladies of the church, looked very much improved, and so harmoniously has the scheme of design been carried out by the architect, Mr. James, that one could only with difficulty tell that the building had not originally all been one. North and South aisles have been added to the nave, which was the original church, and the addition has made for considerably greater grace of design and bigger seating capacity.

TWO ALARMS LAST NIGHT.

Fire in Chapman Street Basement Did $200 Damage in Occupants' Absence.

Two alarms were answered by the fire department within a couple of hours last night. Just after 8 o'clock fire broke out in the basement of the house at 1163 Chapman street and did some $200 damage. William Henry and his family, the occupants were out at the time, but neighbors noticed the smoke and turned in the alarm. A reflection from a stove fire upon a window gave Dr. Hermann Robertson the impression that there was a fire in the Melrose Paint Company's premises in Broad street about 10 o'clock, but the department found the mistake in short time.

TO THE MAN IN THE STORE

Whether you advertise in THE TIMES or not, Mr. Merchant, you can take advantage of the advertising done in this newspaper.

On your shelves and on your counters you have goods that are advertised by manufacturers in the columns of THE TIMES.

Bring these goods out into the light—put them in your window and let the people who read about them every day in this newspaper know that you sell them.

This strikes us as a pretty reasonable way of doing more business over your counters.

If you do this your sales will increase and you will find, if you do not know it now, that advertising, backed up by good salesmanship, pays handsomely.

A LINE O' CHEER EACH DAY O' TH' YEAR

By John Kendrick Bangs

AS TO TALK.

When things within the kittle
Git bilin' pretty hot,
Talk slow, and mighty little,
But make it say a lot.

You bet your bottom dollar
The meanest grub in reach
Is when ye come to swaller
Unnecessary speech.

SPOKE ON PEACE

Dr. W. Evans Darby, Secretary of Peace Society, Addressed Large Gathering.

Addressing a large gathering at the First Congregational church last evening, Dr. William Evans Darby, secretary of the Peace Society, spoke for two hours on a subject which is engaging the attention of practically every country in Christendom—the subject of international peace. The meeting was presided over by Rev. Robert Connell, president of the Ministerial Association.

In his address he stated that King George V. was like his father, a great advocate and worker for peace. Dr. Darby gave in some detail the history of the society, which dated back to the year immediately preceding that of Waterloo. He also told of the peace congress at the Hague, at which he had recently been present, and told of the astonishing and world-wide interest which had been taken in that meeting. The speaker made a strong plea for international and social peace.

A vote of thanks to Dr. Darby was voted by Rev. T. W. Gladstone, and this was seconded by William Marchant.

TAKING IN TAXES

Enormous Rush of People to City Hall To-day to Obtain Rebates; Royal Oak Also.

To-day being the last day upon which the rebate on taxes under the general rate can be allowed, there was an enormous rush of people at the city hall. There is always a great rush to save the discount, the large firms and agencies for non-resident property owners making their payments at the last moment.

The British Columbia Lands & Investment Company is the largest individual taxpayer, but many of the cheques will pass the $5,000 mark. The result will not be known in the city hall till early in next week, for in addition to the huge sums taken over the counter in the course of yesterday and to-day, there are the postal payments to come and these will materially swell the total.

As the taxes to be collected run over one million and a half dollars, the staff at the city hall is being taxed to the utmost to cope with the extra work, and every available man is in his place to assist. The rebate in past years used to extend to other classes of the rate besides the general one, but as legal advice was to the effect that this course was not correct in law, the practice was abandoned.

There was unwonted activity about the municipal hall at Royal Oak also to-day, as this is the last day on which the rebate on Saanich taxes is given.

PERFORMANCE GOOD

"Heir to the Hoorah" Presented at Princess Theatre Last Evening Pleased Audience.

The first act of the "Heir to the Hoorah," which appeared at the Princess last evening, is little more than explanatory, but serves its purpose in this respect and in introducing the different characters. The big scene of the play is when Joe, who goes to Europe, in order to become a "gentleman," is welcomed back by his friends by a supper at the principal hotel. The scene was excellently carried out, and the effect of the double room and corridor of the hotel where the party takes place was particularly good. Joe and Dave Lacy, played respectively by Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Belasco, were among the best of the many excellent parts, while Messrs. Williams and Aldenn made interesting studies of young miners. The society element was realistically portrayed by Miss Page and Miss Graham.

A PRETTY EVENT.

Miss Sophie Anderson and Mr. Alfred E. Swanson Are Wed at Sooke; Touring the Sound.

The residence of Mrs. C. A. Hilgerson, Sooke district, was the scene of a pretty wedding last Saturday, when Miss Sophie Anderson and Mr. Alfred E. Swanson were united in marriage by Rev. Joseph McCoy, M. A., of this city. The bride wore a handsome gown of cream serge with bridal veil. After a sumptuous wedding-breakfast the bridal party started on their honeymoon trip to Victoria, from here leaving for a tour of the Sound cities.

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"Wincarnis" can be obtained from all leading Stores, Chemists and Wine Merchants.

WED AT CATHEDRAL

Marriage of Canon Silva-White, of Nanaimo, and Miss Clare Battle, Solemnized Yesterday.

A wedding of wide interest took place yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at Christ Church cathedral, when Rev. Canon Silva-White, rector of St. Paul's church, Nanaimo, and Clare, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Charles Key Battle, of Minster Yard, and Mrs. Battle, London, England, were united in marriage. The Bishop of Columbia officiated, the Hon. and Rev. T. R. Heneage acting as bishop's chaplain. The service was fully choral, the choir meeting the bridal party at the door, and preceding them up the aisle, singing "How Welcome Was the Call." The bride, who was given away by Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, was very handsome in a white serge suit with a white hat to match, trimmed with an ostrich plume, and an ostrich feather ruff, and carried a bouquet of white bridal roses. She was attended only by Master Edward Slingsby, the tiny, golden-haired son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. R. Slingsby. Rev. C. A. Seager, of Vancouver, was best man. The ceremony was witnessed by a number of friends of the happy pair, among them being His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Paterson, who afterwards signed the register. A very enjoyable reception was held at the residence of the Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, and Mrs. Scriven, Vancouver House, Wilmot Place, at which Canon and Mrs. Silva-White received the congratulations of their friends. The Bishop of Columbia proposed the toast of the bride and bridegroom, which was responded to by the canon, and the health of Archdeacon and Mrs. Scriven was proposed by the bride.

The bridal pair left town on the 2.30 boat for the mainland, where they will spend a short honeymoon before returning to Nanaimo to reside.

Mr. Sorby's Services.—The city council having recently endorsed the proposal to obtain some recognition of the services of Thomas C. Sorby, C. E., secretary of the Inner Harbor Association, Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of public works, has informed the city council: "I do not know what can be done in a matter of this kind, but will ascertain when the opportunity affords itself what services have been rendered by Mr. Sorby and also whether or not it should be recognized in the manner suggested."

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DREDGES AND TUGS TO BURN OIL FUEL

Public Works Department Reported to Be Contemplating Change

Within a very short time it is understood that the Department of Public Works of Canada will award tenders for the conversion of all its tugboats and dredges into oil-burners. This will be one of the most gigantic tasks ever carried out on the Pacific coast since the new fuel system sprung into prominence. The department now has a fleet of about fifteen dredges and tugs in its service and the conversion of the vessels will involve the expenditure of large sums of money.

Great quantities of coal are used at the present time in the operation of this fleet, and the department is of the opinion that the better steam-raising qualities of oil, together with the facts that oil is cheaper than coal and the stokehold staffs are cut down materially, fully warrant the change. At the present time some difficulty is experienced in securing sufficient coal at the island mines to operate all the craft under the control of the public works officials.

Big Dredges Hard on Coal.

Included in the list of dredges are some very powerful vessels, which use up much fuel in furnishing the required steam pressure for the mass of machinery composing the dredging outfit. The Mastodon and [illegible] are large ships and made the long passage to this coast from Europe under their own steam. They are capable of doing a great deal of work in a day and the installation of oil on them will increase their output considerably. The stern-wheeler King Edward, which is a suction dredge, is also a hard worker and uses up much fuel in digging away the sand banks which accumulate in the Fraser river. In the Victoria harbor the Lobnitz rock-crusher and the dipper dredges Ajax and Mudlark will come in for the change, it is not expected that the orange peel dredge and the rock-drilling plant working in the harbor here will be changed.

Among the tugs which will be changed are the Point Ellice, Point Hope, Petrel and several others which tender to the mainland fleet of dredges. The towboats are kept continually on the move now, through the fact that the dredges are working two shifts a day. They are consuming much coal, and as this kind of fuel is rather scarce on the coast at present the department is having no little trouble in securing enough to keep the fleet at work.

Have Two Tanks.

It is understood that simultaneously with the announcement of the award of the contracts for the conversion of the dredges and tugs, will come an announcement to the effect that two big oil reservoirs will be constructed, one at this port and the other at Vancouver. The fleet will use up a great deal of oil each week and the department will need a couple of tanks in which to keep a supply of fuel.

The changing of this fleet will undoubtedly be the greatest work of its kind ever carried out on the Pacific. The craft will be laid up one by one and the work rushed as fast as possible.

WILLOCHRA NEARS 'FRISCO.

San Francisco, Sept. 30.—On her first visit to the Golden Gate the big liner Willochra, which has replaced the old Aorangi in the Union service between Australia and this port, is expected to reach here on Thursday morning. The vessel, which is larger than the Tahiti or Moana, is in command of Captain Neville, who made a trip here two years ago. The Willochra is bringing 150 passengers. The list includes the members of the New Zealand Rugby team, who will be seen here.

ANOTHER SHIP PILES UP ON CORAL REEFS

Barquentine Amaranth is Total Loss in South Seas; Crew Saved

San Francisco, Sept. 30.—A cable from Samoa to the marine department of the chamber of commerce, says the well-known barquentine Amaranth has been wrecked on Jarvis Island, where the long missing schooner Americana, of this port, drove ashore.

The cable further states that Capt. Nielsen, who was accompanied by his wife and the members of the crew, are safe at Tutuila, an island of the former group, and will come home by steamer. No details of the disaster were given.

The Amaranth was bound from Newcastle for this port with a cargo of coal consigned to Hind, Rolph & Company. N. Andrews, of this city, is listed as the managing owner of the vessel which was of 1109 gross tons. She was built at Benecia in 1900.

Insurance rates, it is expected, will advance considerably for all sailers that trade to the South Seas. In the past three years a number of the schooner-rigged vessels which plied out of Puget Sound and the Columbia river have come to grief in the sharp coral reefs of the tropics and become total losses.

The barquentine Amaranth, the last sailer to meet with disaster in the South Seas, was a similar vessel to the [illegible] which is now in port loading a [illegible] lumber at the Canadian cargo of [illegible] Puget Sound mills.

TWO C. P. R. STEAMERS REPORT HARD PASSAGES

Reporting a very dirty passage south from Skagway, the C. P. R. liner Princess May, Capt. McLeod, returned to port early this morning. The vessel bucked into heavy southeast gales all the way and in Milbank and Queen Charlotte Sounds the vessel rolled and pitched heavily in the big seas which were running. She brought south a large list of passengers.

The steamer Tees, Capt. Gillam, returned from a long trip to Holberg last night. She also reported nasty weather. The southeast gales battered her about badly.

The Tees is sailing for Clayoquot tomorrow night and the Princess May goes to Prince Rupert and Skagway on Friday night.

WILLIAM JOLLIFFE IN.

The tug William Jolliffe, Capt. Thomson, returned to Victoria this morning after a lengthy cruise in Hecate strait and other northern waters on fishery patrol work. The vessel is leaving to-morrow with E. P. Edwards, Dominion superintendent of wireless stations, and E. J. Haughton, district superintendent, for a visit to all the coast wireless stitions.

ROYAL MAIL LINERS.

Frank Waterhouse & Co., agents for the Royal Mail Steam Packet Co., send the following steamer positions: Vestalia sailed from Seattle for Yokohama September 17, Den of Ruthven left Portland for Moji September 26, Den of Crombie at Union Bay, Den of Glamis left Manila for Vancouver via Japan September 2. Indramayo left Seattle for Yokohama September 26.

CANADA CROSSES ATLANTIC.

The White Star Dominion liner Canada reached Quebec Sunday at noon and berthed at Montreal the following morning. Victoria passengers are due through on October 4.

FIRST-CLASS PEOPLE GO AS SECOND-CLASS

Marama Full of Passengers for Sailing to Antipodes To-morrow

Travel to the Antipodes continues exceptionally heavy, and the agents at both Victoria and Vancouver are finding great difficulty in accommodating all the passengers who are applying for berths on the outgoing Canadian-Australian liner Marama, Capt. Rolls, which is to sail from this port to-morrow evening. The need of another liner of the size of the Niagara was never more urgently demonstrated than now at the sailing of the Marama.

At the C. P. R. offices this morning it was stated that all the first-class and third-class staterooms had been sold, and that many applicants for tickets had been refused. In order to make the passage many of the travellers who wished to go first-class are booking berths in the second cabin. The rush to Honolulu and the Antipodes of people who wish to escape the damp weather is just starting, and from now on for several months many British Columbians and residents of the states of Washington and Idaho as well as Eastern Canada and the United States, will be taking passage to the lands where sunshine will prevail while the winter is on in the northern hemisphere.

Many Local People Leaving.

While the Marama is berthed at Victoria to-morrow evening a large number of local residents will embark on journey to the Commonwealth.

A big cargo is being taken out by the Marama, consisting of condensed milk, lumber, fish, automobiles and general merchandise. She is unable to take on all the freight, and is leaving a great deal for the freight steamship Canada Cape, which is now on her way up the Pacific from Sydney, Australia, to carry the surplus cargo of the regular passenger liners.

The Makura, Capt. Phillips, of the Australian line, was reported leaving Suva to-day on her way to this port from the Antipodes. She is due to berth here two weeks from to-day.

RECORD CARGO OF FLOUR GOES OUT ON MINNESOTA

Seattle, Sept. 30.—With 289,065 sacks of flour, the largest shipment of its kind that has ever left this port for the Orient, the Great Northern Steamship Company's liner Minnesota, Capt. Thomas W. Garlick, sailed from Seattle early this morning. In addition to the record-breaking consignments of flour, there is also aboard the vessel 49,137 sacks of wheat and shipments of lumber, frozen halibut, salmon, shad, shad roe, salmon trout, smelts, canned goods and miscellaneous freight.

The Minnesota's cargo is for Manila, Hongkong, Kobe, Yokohama, Nagasaki, Iloilo and Cebu. The wheat goes to various ports in the Orient, and all of the frozen fish is for Manila. The big vessel's cargo is valued at over $1,000,000.

Another record is broken by the Minnesota on her present voyage, for she has aboard a total of 122 cabin passengers, the biggest list she has had this year, and in addition a large number of steerage passengers, all bound for ports in the Orient.

ROYAL MAIL WILL LINK CANADA AND WEST INDIES

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—An official announcement has been made by Hon. G. E. Foster that arrangements have been completed with the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company for a fast steamship service between the British West Indies and Halifax and St. John, commencing November 1. He also announced that arrangements had been made with the cable companies by which the cable rate between Canada and the West Indies had been cut in two.

The arrangement is for a five years' period, and four vessels will be on the route, giving fortnightly service. The Royal Mail Packet Company is one of the oldest companies doing business in the West Indian trade. The rates will be such as to encourage Canadian trade with these islands and South America.

Mariners are hereby notified that the red fixed stake light maintained on the dolphin off Shoal Point, Victoria harbor, will be discontinued without further notice and beginning September 30, a similar light will be maintained on a new dolphin situated approximately 300 feet in a southwesterly direction from the old site and in line with Brackman & Ker's wharf and the outer spar buoy.

Caution—The public works department will remove the shoal marked by the old dolphin as soon as possible but until this is completed mariners are warned not to go over the old site. The dredge will be anchored over the old site until the shoal is removed if weather permits and a further notice will be published when that work is completed.

HARPOONED WHALE DISABLES WHALER

William Grant Loses Rudder and Propeller Blades; Whale Steers Craft Back

Losing her rudder and two blades of her propeller through the vicious capers cut by a mammoth whale in trying to free itself from the deadly harpoon which had entered its body, the whaling steamer William Grant, Capt. William Heater, was piloted back to the station at Rose Harbor only through an ingenious scheme devised by the master of the craft. The unusual accident occurred some days ago and the Grant has just reached Victoria, and is tied up at her winter quarters at Point Ellice.

The William Grant was out on one of her regular cruises when the lookout sang out, "There she blows. Of course every man was in his place, and it was not long before the whaler was close upon her prey. The gun was trained on the big creature as it came up for air. The trigger was pulled and the harpoon was sent skimimng across the waters on its deadly message. It pierced the side of the mammal and firmly embedded itself in the great mass of flesh. As is usually the case with a whale when it is struck, this mammal started off at great speed and tried to shake off the sturdy little whaler. But the steel cable had been made fast and those on board the Grant where prepared to let the big fellow carry on just as long as it liked.

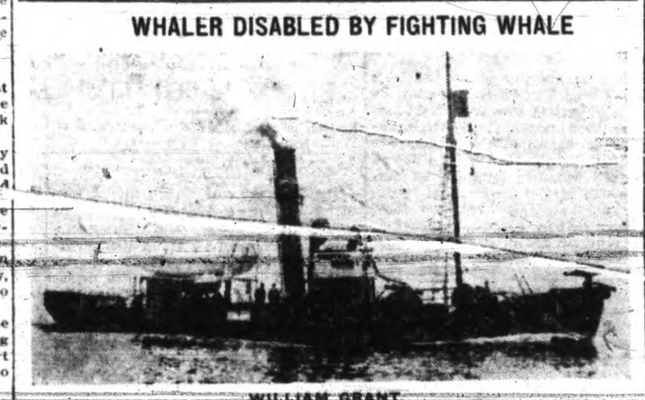
Knocked the Rudder Off.

After one of his deep dives the whale came up almost alongside the whaler. He fought violently as the cable was heaved in by the winch. Unfortunately for the William Grant the mammal worked his way in close to her and with a gigantic lurch and kick the deadly tail happened to strike the rudder. Unable to withstand the terrific force of the impact the rudder snapped off and fell into the sea. The wheel was turning over at the time, and during the course of the rudders flight to the bottom of the ocean two of the blades of the propeller struck it and were snapped off.

Capt. Heater found himself in a peculiar position, but having been in difficult holes before it did not take him long to figure out a way of getting back to port, after the whale had been captured. When the mammal had been heaved alongside and pumped full of air, lines were made fast to the head of the creature and it was fastened right under the stern of the Grant. Other lines were hitched around the big tail and one was carried along each side of the Grant and made fast to the drums of the winches. The engine was started and the remaining blades commenced to churn the waters. With her tow acting as a good substitute for a rudder the whaler was swung about and headed for her station. She was a good distance offshore, but succeeded in getting back to port without any further mishaps. It was expected that some difficulty might be experienced in making the landing at Rose Harbor, but to the contrary the vessel swung in answer to the strains placed on the ropes to the tail and the Grant made a fine docking.

At Rose Harbor a spare wheel was put on and a jury rudder fitted in order to allow the William Grant to proceed to Victoria.

WHALER DISABLED BY FIGHTING WHALE



WILLIAM GRANT.

SAILERS ON COLUMBIA

Portland, Ore., Sept. 30.—The British barque Lord Templetown has arrived on the river, and will go to Prescott to load for Sydney. The German ship Harvesthude, which arrived yesterday, will come up to the local harbor to take on a full cargo of grain for the United Kingdom.

The Lord Templetown is in from San Francisco, being out from the port seventeen days. The Harvesthude came in ballast from Mazatlan, and her arrival was unexpected, as her sailing from the Mexican port was not reported.

Wheat cargo for the British steamer Bellucca was all aboard yesterday, and the vessel was cleared with 223,498 bushels, valued at $185,503, for St. Vincent, for orders. The Bellucca is under charter to the Portland Flouring Mills Company.

CAPTURE HUGE TURTLE.

New York, Sept. 30.—When the schooner Gleason was off Fire Island on Saturday the watch heard a splashing off the lee bow. Investigation showed the noise was coming from a huge turtle. Capt. Tapepr called out to his crew of 15 men, and they captured the turtle, which weighed almost 1,500 pounds, and is said to be 900 years old. The turtle was auctioned off yesterday for $50. The turtle is of the leatherback species, and is the heaviest turtle ever brought to this port. It is eight feet long and each of its flappers are two feet long.

ANTILOCHUS BACK TO PUT OFF BIG CARGO

Blue Funnel Liner Will Return Again; Cyclops to Load Salmon Here

At daylight this morning the Blue Funnel liner Antilochus, Capt. Flynn, arrived off Brotchie Ledge, and was boarded by a local pilot and brought up to her berth. The big ship returned here to put off 1,200 tons of general European and Oriental freight. She will be in port about two days discharging, and will then proceed to Vancouver to put off additional cargo. It was announced this morning that the Antilochus will return to Victoria after she has bunkered at Comox to take on a shipment of whale oil for the Old Country.

Early to-morrow morning the steamship Cyclops, Capt. Arthur, of the Holt fleet, will arrive here on her way out from the Sound to Liverpool. About 6,000 cases of canned salmon have been assembled at the outer docks, and if there is enough spare space on the vessel the whole shipment will be stowed below the hatches. The Cyclops is taking out a full cargo of freight, amounting to about 12,000 tons, and made up of wheat, flour, cotton, lumber, machinery, sewing machines, farming implements, motor cars, motor cycles, scrap tin, box shooks, whale oil and apples from the Wenatchee valley.

Monteagle Taking Big Load.

The C. P. R. liner Monteagle, Capt. Halley, is also scheduled for departure to-morrow, and she will get away in the evening for Hongkong and way ports in the Orient. She has been at Vancouver for about five days, and in that time has unloaded her inward cargo taken on bunker coal and loaded 6,000 tons of freight. She has a large shipment of wheat and flour as well as large quantities of general freight.

The majority of the cabin accommodation on the Monteagle has been filled up. A number of Victorians are leaving, several of whom are on a globe-circling tour.

Sept. 30, 8 a. m.

Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 30.32; 35. Out, S. S. Prince George, during night.

Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 30.25; 48; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; N. E., 10 miles; 30.57; 50; sea moderate. In, S. S. Col. Drake, with barge 95, 8.40 a. m.

Pachena—Cloudy; N. E.; 30.11; 53; sea smooth.

Estevan—Clear; calm; 30.15; 52; sea smooth. Spoke, 9.30 p. m., S. S. Tamba Maru, 6 p. m., position 49.39 N. 140.01 W., 527 miles from Estevan, 11.20 p. m.; Canada Maru, 8 p. m., position 50.35 N. 147.31 W., 4.30 a. m.; S. S. Den of Ruthven, 8 p. m., position 49.02 N. 135.22 W.

Prince Rupert—Raining; S. E., strong; 29.00; 50; sea moderate.

Dead Tree Point — Overcast; S. E., light; sea smooth. Out, S. S. Prince John, 7.35 p. m.

Alert Bay—Cloudy; calm; 30.08; 52; sea smooth. Out, S. S. Venture, 8 p. m., southbound.

Noon.

Point Grey.—Cloudy; calm; 30.26; 58.

Cape Lazo.—Clear; calm; 30.25; 59; thick seaward. Spoke, S. S. Amur Cape Lazo, 8 a. m., southbound.

Tatoosh.—Clear; S. E., 10 miles; 30.36; 52. In, 8.40 a. m., S. S. Colonel Drake with barge 95. Out, 11.45 a. m., S. S. Elgin. In, noon, S. S. Wm. Chatham.

Estevan.—Clear; calm; 30.12; 56; heavy swell.

Triangle.—Foggy; raining; S. E., 29.59; 54; sea rough. Spoke, S. S. Prince Albert, 9.20 a. m., left Ikeda, 8 a. m., southbound.

Ikeda.—Raining; S. E. strong; 29.75; 58; sea rough. Out, S. S. Prince Albert, 8 a. m., southbound.

Prince Rupert.—Raining; S. E. strong; 29.56; 54; sea rough. In, 7.30 a. m., S. S. Prince John.

Dead Tree Point.—Raining; S. E. light; sea smooth.

Alert Bay.—Cloudy; N. W.; 30.19; 54; sea smooth.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

September 29.

San Pedro, Cal.—Arrived: Br. str. Robert Dollar, Orient; str. Northland, Portland via San Francisco; str. Hornet, Coos Bay; str. Rose City, Portland; str. Gray's Harbor, Willapa.

Raymond, Wash. — Arrived: Str. Avalon, San Francisco; steam schr. Santa Monica, San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Quinault, San Francisco.

Aberdeen, Wash.—Arrived; Str. Coronado, San Francisco; John A. Hooper, San Francisco; str. Strathesk, Honolulu; schr. Azelea, San Pedro.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Str. Olympic, Astoria; str. Claremont, Willapa Harbor; str. Willapa, Willapa Harbor; schr. Annie Johnson, Mahukona. Sailed: Str. San Jacinto, Hoquiam; Br. str. Astabula, Pisaqua.

Tacoma, Wash. — Arrived: Power boat Archer, San Francisco.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Northwestern, Northwestern Alaska; Buckman, San Francisco. Sailed: Antilochus, Tacoma; str. Jeanie, Southeastern Alaska.

LAKE FREIGHTERS COLLIDE

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 30.—The freight steamer Joseph F. Morrow, of Duluth, bound up the Great Lakes with grain, collided to-day with the freighter City of London, of Chicago, bound down off Point Pelee, on the Canadian side of Lake Erie. Reports reaching here were that the Morrow had to be beached and the City of London went down after the collision, so seriously were the boats damaged.

The members of the City of London's crew were taken off their sinking boat by the steamer Briton, and they are on their way to Detroit.

Wrecking tugs have left for the assistance of the Morrow.

SEWALL TO BRING COAL.

Seattle, Sept. 30. — The well-known ship Edward Sewall, which recently completed an unusually fast voyage from Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, to Philadelphia with a cargo of sugar, has been placed under charter to the Pacific Coast Company for a cargo of coal from Philadelphia to Seattle.

EARL OF ELGIN OUT.

The British steamship Earl of Elgin loaded with a full cargo of grain from Portland, Ore., passed out to sea today after loading bunker coal at Comox.

CONTROL OF WATERPOWERS.

Toronto, Sept. 30.—The Ontario Municipal Electric Association, meeting here, passed a resolution asking the Dominion government to put all the waterpower along the great lakes to the eastern boundary of Ontario under the Ontario hydro-electric commission.

Beer was brewed and drunk by the Egyptians, the exact date of its origin being lost in the remote ages.

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DEEP SEA ARRIVALS.

Steamer.	Master.	Tonnage.	Agents.	From.	Due.
Awa Maru	Asakawa	3,892	Great Northern	Hongkong	Oct. 9
Architect	Neilson	3,900	R. P. Rithet & Co.	Liverpool	Oct. 16
Buena Ventura	Fitzsimmons	3,065	Evans, Coleman & Evans	New York	Oct. 30
Canada Maru	Hori	3,832	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Oct. 2
Canada Cape			C. P. R.	Sydney	Oct. 15
Den of Glamis		3,290	Findlay, Durham & Brodie	Hull	Oct. 24
Empress of India	Davison	3,029	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Oct. 14
Empress of Asia	Robinson	8,824	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Oct. 25
Glenoden			Sugar	Java	Oct. 15
Ixion	Reipenhousen	6,700	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Oct. 25
Makura	Phillips	4,921	C. P. R.	Australia	Oct. 14
Malaspina	Fishery Cruiser			Greenock	Nov. 20
Minnesota	Garlick	13,372	Great Northern	Hongkong	
Niagara	Morrisby	7,992	C. P. R.	Australia	Nov. 11
Santa Rosalia	Prichard	3,438	Evans, Coleman & Evans	New York	Oct. 15
Sado Maru	Asakawa	3,890	Great Northern	Hongkong	Oct. 23
Tacoma Maru	Hamada	3,851	R. P. Rithet & Co.	Hongkong	Oct. 2
Titan	Evans	5,600	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Nov. 22
Tyrone			C. P. R.	Sydney	
Uckermark	Rhode	2,652	Gaehler, Johnson	Hamburg	Oct. 10

DEEP SEA DEPARTURES.

Monteagle, C.P.R., Hongkong	Oct.	1
Marama, C.P.R., Australia	Oct.	1
Cyclops, Dodwell Co., Liverpool	Oct.	1
Tamba Maru, G.N., Hongkong	Oct.	7
Empress of Russia, C.P.R., H'gk'g.	Oct.	8
Canada Maru, R. P. Rithet, H'gk'g.	Oct.	10
Rupert City, Dodwell Co., Yokoh'a.	Oct.	10
Tacoma Maru, R. P. Rithet, H'gk'g.	Oct.	14
Awa Maru, G.N., Hongkong	Oct.	21

SAILERS COMM'G.

Battle Abbey, British barque, Newcastle, N. S. W.

Frieda Mahn, German barque, Callao.

Isabello Brown, Russian barque, from Callao.

Inca, American schooner, from Newcastle, N. S. W.

Alliance, Peruvian barque, Iquique.

Jas. Tuft, American barquentine, Newcastle, N. S. W. Sailed Sept. 16.

Pottallock, British barque, Sydney, to load at Vancouver.

COASTING VESSELS.

From Northern Ports.

Prince Rupert, G.T.P., Granby Bay	Oct.	1
Venture, U.S.S. Co., Bella Coola	Oct.	1
Prince Albert, G.T.P., Q. Charl'tes	Oct.	1
Prince George, G.T.P., Stewart	Oct.	5
Princess Sophia, C.P.R., Skagway	Oct.	7

For Northern Ports.

Venture, U.S.S. Co., Bella Coola	Oct.	3
Prince Rupert, G.T.P., Granby Bay	Oct.	2
Prince Albert, G.T.P., Q. Charl'tes	Oct.	2
Princess May, C.P.R., Skagway	Oct.	3
Prince George, G.T.P., Stewart	Oct.	6

For West Coast.

Tees, C.P.R., Clayoquot	Oct.	1

From West Coast.

Tees, C.P.R., Holberg	Sept.	30

From San Francisco.

City of Puebla, Pacific Coast	Oct.	2
Umatilla, Pacific Coast	Oct.	3

For San Francisco.

Umatilla, Pacific Coast	Oct.	1
City of Puebla, Pacific Coast	Oct.	3

SOOKE WATER BY-LAW

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The original By-law for the construction of the Sooke Lake water scheme was for $1,500,000, though it was expected at the time that the eventual cost would be $2,000,000; in this two millions the amount estimated for land was $200,000. Cost of land to date is as follows:

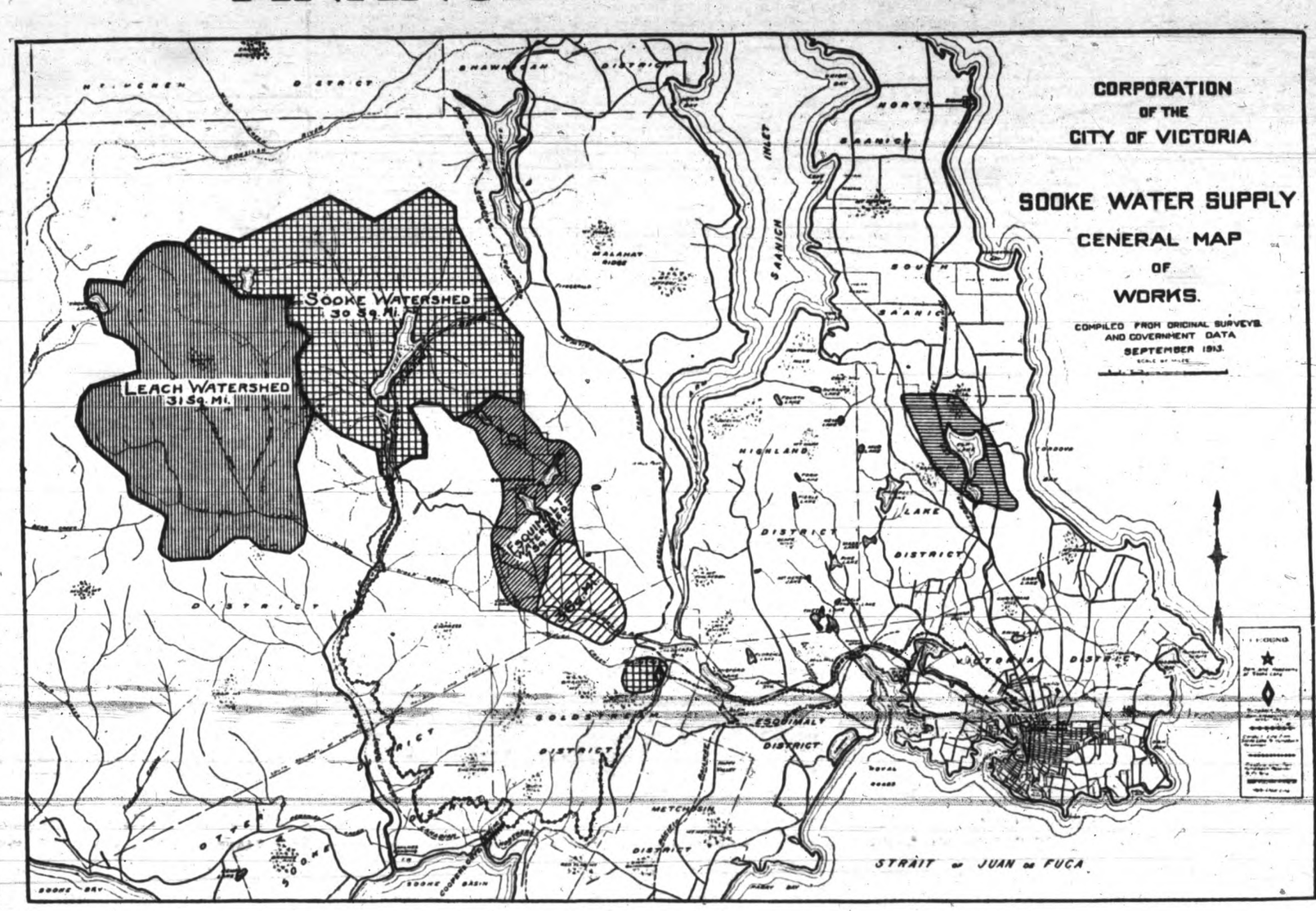
Land at Sooke Lake	$264,513.03
Right-of-way	27,970.07
Humpback Reservoir site	57,777.63
Arbitration and legal expenses	8,766.10
	$359,026.85

To this amount has to be added the price of the watershed to be acquired from the E. & N. Ry. Co., and appertaining to Sooke Lake proper $304,089.50, and $75,000 for right of way not yet settled for, making a total for land of $738,116.35, or $538,116.35 more than the original estimate.

The first half-million dollars of the original loan was sold at 96, the remaining million only realized 91, and no better price can be expected for the new loan. This would make an amount of $125,000 chargeable to the increased cost of money. This added to $538,116.35 will account for $663,116.35 or 66% of the difference between the original estimated cost and the probable final cost of the completed work.

The annual cost of the first loan is $74,825.00, and that of the new one $78,270. The difference is caused by the increase of interest from 4% to 4½% on one million dollars of the first loan, and the whole of the new one, also a slight increase in the annual payment to the sinking fund, owing to the term of the new loan being fixed at 48 years so as to make due date of both the same. These payments cease on the first February, 1962, and the works which are the property of the ratepayers will be paid for.

Based on the consumption for the last four months, the annual charge for water purchased from the Esquimalt Water Works Co., will be approximately $80,000. This amount will increase yearly, and what it will be by 1962 it is impossible to forecast. The capacity of the present Sooke Lake installation is 16,000,000 gallons per diem at an annual cost of $153,095, or 2.62c per thousand gallons when the whole quantity is used. To buy 16,000,000 gallons daily from the Esquimalt Water Works Co., if it could be supplied, would cost six cents per thousand gallons, or $350,400 per year. Under the Sooke Lake scheme the cost of water per thousand gallons will decrease as the consumption increases until the minimum of 2.62 cents is reached. Under the present arrangement of buying water by the gallon from the Esquimalt Water Works Co. the cost is fixed by Statute at 6 cents per thousand gallons, no matter what the consumption



LEGAL POSITION

The Corporation, under the authority of By-law No. 814, which received the assent of the electors on January 12, 1911, and was finally passed by the Council on January 16, 1911, obtained power to borrow $1,500,000 for acquiring and constructing the Sooke Lake Water System. A contract was made with the Westholme Lumber Company, Limited, to do the necessary construction work sufficient for the delivery of sixteen million gallons of water daily at the price of $1,169,170. This contract was submitted to and approved by the electors.

A term of the contract provides that if the contractor abandons the work, or if in the opinion of the Water Commissioner there is unnecessary or unreasonable delay the Water Commissioner is entitled to take over the work. This he has done under the power contained in the contract above referred to, and he is now engaged in completing the work charging the expense to the contractor. The Water Commissioner is entitled under the contract in case the cost exceeds the contract price, to collect the balance from the contractor. If on the other hand it is less, the contractor is entitled to the difference. The performance of the contract is guaranteed by bond of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company in the amount of the contract price.

The contracting company commenced a suit in the Supreme Court on April 11, 1913, against the City and various officers claiming to set aside the contract and for damages. This action has not yet come on for trial.

After investigation of the facts the City Solicitor is of opinion that the Water Commissioner was legally justified in taking over the work and he thinks the City has a good defence to the action.

Copy of the contract and of the pleadings in the action lie on the counter of the City Clerk's Office, where they may be inspected by any ratepayer.

THE FOLLOWING IS A BRIEF STATEMENT OF THE STATUS OF THE ENGINEERING FEATURES OF THE SOOKE WATER SUPPLY

In April of this year the Westholme Lumber Company (which Company under their Contract should have completed 65% of the work) abandoned their contract, having finished only 38½%. The Corporation of the City of Victoria, acting through their Water Commissioner, then took possession, and have since been carrying out the work by day labor.

Tenders for the construction of the concrete flowline and the pressure pipeline were called for, but these contracts have not yet been awarded, pending the submission of this By-law.

Work on that portion of the contract which we are undertaking by day labor is progressing satisfactorily. Unfortunately there was a delay in commencing of about three months, owing to the difficulty of procuring from the Receiver of the Westholme Lumber Co. the necessary plant and equipment, the Court having decided that the City were not entitled to take possession of the plant without compensation.

The work of clearing up to the new water level at Sooke Lake is practically finished. The construction of the dam at the lower end of the Lake is also under way.

On the flowline 27 miles of trackage has to be constructed for the purpose of transporting the concrete pipe. This work is under way, and a supply of rails has arrived at Cooper's Cove and are being delivered on the pipeline.

At Humpback Reservoir the excavation for the dam is finished and concreting is now in progress. The specifications provided that the bottom level of the Reservoir site, about 10 acres, should be covered with a layer of gravel and this material is being procured in the immediate vicinity. The work is progressing very satisfactorily.

There has been a great deal of discussion as to the capacity of the concrete pipe to deliver a sufficient amount of water. It is very difficult to predict the growth of cities, especially in the West, but our Consulting Engineer when reporting upon this matter in 1910 provided for a delivery of 16 million gallons, which under our present rate of consumption, which is about 80 gallons per head, would be sufficient for a population of about 200,000.

The Reservoir at Humpback will have a capacity of 136,000,000 gallons, which will be held in reserve in case any accident occurs to the flowline pipe, but the water will be delivered directly from Sooke Lake to the City through a by-pass pipe.

The quality of the water at Sooke Lake has been questioned. Frequent analysis have been made, and only recently Dr. Hall, our Medical Health Officer, in a report after giving details of the result of the examination stated:

"In conclusion, I would say after bacteriological and chemical examination, the water in the big lake at Sooke is excellent, the middle lake slightly inferior to it, and the third or lower lake slightly inferior to the middle. In my opinion, if the citizens of Victoria receive such water as is contained in any of these lakes at the present time, they will have no reason for complaint."

It has also been suggested by certain parties that a considerable amount of power could be procured from Sooke Lake for the use of the City. Our Consulting Engineer, however, has stated that the maximum amount of horse power that could be developed is 3500, and the cost of developing this amount is such that it would not be a profitable investment.

The cost of delivering 16 million gallons, which is the maximum capacity of the concrete flowline pipe, including all charges will be about 2¾ cents per 1000 gallons.

The raising of the dam at Sooke Lake as outlined in Mr. Wynn Meredith's report of 1911 shows that there will be available 100 cubic feet per second, equal to nearly 54 million gallons of water per 24 hours. When this amount is being delivered the approximate cost per 1000 gallons will be 1 1-3 cents.

The $1,500,000 which is the estimated amount now required to complete this undertaking is made up as follows:

Amount to complete present contract	$1,170,000
Engineering, and contingencies	100,000
Right-of-way, land damages, etc.	500,000
Financial and legal expenses	130,000
	$1,900,000
Cash on hand	400,000
Total amount required	$1,500,000

Mr. Rust, Water Commissioner, states that the money so far expended has been well spent, and there has been no waste of the public funds, and the citizens have received full value for every dollar expended.

FINANCE COMMITTEE COMMENTS

In connection with the foregoing reports, your Finance Committee begs to call the attention of the ratepayers to the following points:

1. Unless the City completes the work, it will be in the position of having to pay interest and sinking fund in respect of a loan of $1,500,000 for fifty years and having nothing of any practical benefit or use to show for it.

2. In answer to the argument that it would be wise to wait until financial conditions better and then to proceed with the work there would be great financial loss by reason of deterioration of the unfinished works now under construction; the litigation would be seriously affected by the Water Commissioner not having the funds to complete the work as called for under the contract and during this suggested cessation of work the interest and sinking fund payments would have to be made while the time when the works would become revenue-producing would be postponed.

3. Tendency in all Canadian cities at the present time is towards the Municipal ownership of the water works.

4. The vote will be taken at the Police Court Room, City Hall, on Thursday, October 2, 1913, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 7 p.m., and all ratepayers are earnestly requested to vote; the question is of the utmost importance to the citizens of Victoria and it is the duty of every qualified elector to vote on this most important question.

W. A. GLEASON
R. J. PORTER
GEO. McCANDLESS
ANGUS B. McNEILL, Finance Committee.
A. J. MORLEY, Mayor.

SPORTING NEWS

THE WOODBINE, TORONTO

A view of the steeplechase at the Woodbine, won by Weldship, the favorite. The horse falling is Foxcraft.

RIGHT LITTLE WAS WINNER YESTERDAY

B. J. Perry Forced to Spend Extra Hundred to Cover Sprinters

Public choices again fell down in yesterday's racing at the Willows. It was a card of surprises and from the moment that Right Little headed a class field to the wire for a dividend of ten to one until the final race, the favorites found the going rather heavy. Mandadero, Muy Buena and Bredwell were the heavily played animals that scored clean-cut wins, but there were some startling good prices paid. The track was in grand shape and a large crowd helped things along, the racing being of a high standard.

Horse Was Boosted.

It cost B. J. Perry an additional hundred dollars to win the first race with his speedy gelding, Right Little, this animal being bid up to $305 before its owner could reclaim him after he had come through in the stretch to win the opening event of the day's card. Owner Perry, therefore, wins but a few dollars on the race. This was the first attempt to bid up a horse at the meeting and caused no little comment amongst the owners who do not look with favor upon this action of another owner. Jockey Hill had a couple of winners, while Claver was placed on all but one of the mounts he piloted during the afternoon. Jockey Taylor after riding an indifferent race on The Monk, complained of sickness and was replaced by Pickens on Meada in the last race; Pickens brought the veteran into second position.

Right Little in First.

For the second time this meeting, Buck Thomas proved a false alarm when he allowed Right Little and Zulu to beat him out in the stretch run for the opening event. Thomas set the pace all the way, but had nothing left in the stretch, while Right Little and Zulu furnished a driving finish for the big end of the purse. Both were long shots, Zulu paying $17 to place. Fire got away with one of his good races in the second and finished in front of a classy field with a little to spare. Hill rode a nice race, Daylight just managing to stall off Belle of Iroquois. Tom Chapman had a strong following, but he did not show the early speed necessary to stick with the leaders. Davies put a winner over in the third when Dromi went to the front and stayed there. Adena came up from nowhere in the stretch and grabbed place money from Fort Johnson, while Shawnee was not placed.

Favorites in Front.

Two of the good things were outclassed in the fourth event, Buri having a cinch. Fitzgerald and Flying Footsteps were called as sure winners with Buri a rank outsider. Sea Cliff found plenty of backing, but there was nothing to it but the Edmonton Stable entry. Fitzgerald got away bad and finished absolutely last. Eight went to post in the fifth, Mandadero and Eddie Mott being most fancied. The former won in nice fashion, with Mott second and Wiltrude S. third. Flying failed to hold the pace coming into the stretch, while Sadie Shapiro was also found wanting in the final brush. Muy Buena was backed off the boards in the next event, and the McDaniel sprinter won going away. Virginia S. lost out in an exciting battle in the stretch from Va-Va who was coming like a house afire. Claver delayed his sprint until too late or he might have had a chance to win first.

Cool Again Wins.

Balcliff was a big favorite for the mile and seventy yards, but Hill sent Cool out into a big lead from the barrier and the veteran campaigner simply stayed there. Taylor gave The Monk a wretched ride, losing all chances of getting placed. Claver could not catch Cool, and John Louis was an easy third. Cool paid seven to one and was never in danger. Bredwell showed his class in going out in front from the "gate" in the getaway event and stalling off all opposition. Meada, with Pickens in the saddle, set out after the flying leader at the half-way pole, but O'Brien was not to be beaten and won hands down. Delmas, another well-played animal, was third.

The races were run off in remarkably quick fashion and Starter Tribe did not find it necessary to set down any of the boys for disobedience at the post. There was a little crowding, but the fields were large and starting on the turns makes it impossible to eliminate the jam at the corners.

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AMATEUR UNION TO INVESTIGATE

Will Look Into Alliance With Swimming Association; Presidency Comes Here

Vancouver, Sept. 30.—The annual meeting of the British Columbia Amateur Athletic Union was held at the Vancouver Athletic Club on Saturday when the championship meets for next year were awarded. Port Alberni was granted the annual track and field championship meet, while Victoria was given the boxing and wrestling championships. The Capital had the latter this year, but failed to make use of the privilege. The V. A. C. was tendered the management of the annual Thanksgiving Day road race.

The election of officers resulted in D. O'Sullivan, of Victoria, succeeding the retiring president, Dr. Davidson, of Vancouver. The vice-presidents are Rev. A. E. Vert, of New Westminster, and F. H. Swain, of Alberni. Arthur Manson, of Victoria, is the new secretary, Messrs. Davidson, Vert, Archibald and O'Sullivan were appointed to the board of directors.

It was decided to declare reinstated all football players who have taken the formal affidavit that they intend to abide by the Amateur Union. Victoria players who have made application for reinstatement, but who have not signed affidavits, will be looked after by the Victoria local board. The question of reinstatement of the Westham Island team was referred to the New Westminster local board with power to act.

It was decided that the local board should be given power to deal with soccer reinstatements for two weeks further. After that time no more applications will be received except in the regular way.

A lengthy discussion took place over the agreement between the A. A. U. of C. and the Amateur Swimming Association, and finally it was decided to communicate further with the A. A. U. of C. in regard to the articles of alliance. The chief questions in dispute are whether or not the A. S. A. and the B. C. A. A. U. shall mutually honor each other's amateur standing cards, and whether or not the A. S. A. shall regard the B. C. A. A. U. as the final arbitrar in regard to registration, etc.

It was resolved: "That Dr. Davidson, the secretary, Mr. Archibald and Rev. A. E. Vert be appointed a committee to communicate with the A. A. U. of C. to ascertain whether the articles of alliance as signed have been properly drawn up and signed, and that this matter be left in abeyance until this is found out. Also that this committee have power to act in advising the delegates of the union to the annual meeting of the A. A. U. of C. the stand of this executive."

A. Cotter, who represented the A. S. A., agreed, in the meantime, that the B. C. A. A. U. cards would be good at the next swimming championships, which will be held in about a fortnight.

SAANICH MEET FOR SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Track and Field Manager Peter Tester, who is looking after the sports programme for the Saanich fair, on Saturday, reports that he will have one of the finest of entries that has ever been gathered together on the island for the first annual athletic meet of this association. Hal. Beasley and a number of other local stars will compete, while a great number of Saanich Peninsula athletes have been training hard for the sports. The relay race will be one of the features, together with the sprints and a five-mile motorcycle race. Post entries for all events will be received on the grounds.

JEWELERS DROP ALL THREE GAMES

Ramblers defeated the Shortt, Hill & Duncan team. The scores:

Ramblers.			
Barton	158	165	152
Beck	147	153	138
Galbraith	123	126	145
Archibald	132	151	166
Jameson	136	191	166
Totals	736	771	741
Shortt, Hill & Duncan.			
Aldridge	150	171	155
Eilers	129	89	98
Fulcher	123	126	121
Duncan	133	124	97
Bower	167	133	142
Total	702	643	613

MAJOR PENNANTS ARE CINCHED FOR YEAR

New York, Sept. 30.—Last week saw the pennant contests in both National and American leagues settled beyond dispute and arrangements for the big series between the New York Nationals and Philadelphia Americans completed. The "crucial series" of the year will open at the Polo Grounds, New York, on October 7, and be fought out there and at Shibe Park, Philadelphia, until the winning of four games gives either the Giants or the Athletics the right to inscribe the legend, "World's Champions, 1913," on the club's banner.

Teams Look Even.

The personnel of the two teams is not greatly changed from that of two years ago, when the Athletics won the series. Experts generally figure a decrease in defensive strength by the Mack men, through the loss of Jack Coombs, and a corresponding gain by the Giants through the addition of Tesreau and Demaree to the box staff, while Mathewson and Marquard still remain to oppose Bender and Plank. This leaves out of the reckoning, however, the large group of Philadelphia colt pitchers. It is interesting to note that while the Athletics have worked effectively out of their batting slump and now are belaboring the ball in old time style, the Giants have not shown a corresponding return to the hitting form. Last week McGraw's men averaged 3½ runs to the game, while the Mack men were getting nearly 7.

The Athletics' canny leader gave his veteran box men a good rest last week, Bender not showing once on the mound and Plank only for a few innings in one game. McGraw had to use out his string to clinch the pennant. Mathewson, Marquard, Tesreau and Demaree doubtless will be given just enough work the coming seven days to keep in condition for the big job ahead of them.

BEASLEY TO RUN AT PORTOLA SPORTS

Hal Beasley will be one of the Northwestern sprinters to take part in the Portola Festival which will be held at San Francisco the latter part of next month. The complete team is as follows:

100 and 200 yards — Baker, Oregon Agricultural College; Turenne, University of Washington; H. Beasley, J. B. A. A., Victoria.

440 and 880 yards—Windnagle, University of Oregon.

One mile—Clyde, University of Washington; McClure, University of Oregon.

Five miles—Chandler, Vancouver Athletic Club.

High jump—Themassen, Seattle Athletic Club.

Pole vault—Bellah, Multnomah Club, Portland.

Broad jump—Bellah, Hawkins, Multnomah Athletic Club, Portland.

Javelin — Bellah, Hawkins, Multnomah Club.

Shot, hammer and discus—Philbrook, Walf, Multnomah Club; Con Walsh, Seattle Athletic Club.

TO-DAY IN PUGILISTIC ANNALS

1887—Ike Weir and Johnny Murphy fought 17-round draw in Boston. "Prof." Murphy, a little 112-pounder, was boxing instructor at Harvard, and a big crowd of students were present to root for their favorite. The "Belfast Spider" also had a big following in Boston. The betting was brisk and thousands were wagered on the result. It was scheduled as a fight to a finish with three-inch gloves, but the cops broke into the clubhouse during the seventeenth round and stopped the bout. Weir had set the pace all the way, and looked like a sure winner, but the referee called it a draw. Later that year Weir won the world's featherweight title.

1903—Bob Fitzsimmons knocked out Con Coughlin in first round at Philadelphia.

1908—Owen Moran defeated Eddie Hanlon in 20 rounds at San Francisco.

1912—Gunboat Smith knocked out Jim Savage in third round at New York.

TOURISTS DISBAND.

R. B. Benjamin, the genial manager of the Australian cricket team, was the recipient of a purse of sovereigns and a handsome address from the members of the team, which disbanded after Saturday's match. The address was signed by every member of the team and the majority will leave on to-morrow's boat for Australia. Mr. Macartney will alone remain in the capital for another month. Several of the team are returning to Australia by different routes.

JACK MAYNARD

Captain of the Toronto Varsity Rugby team for 1913. He was also captain of the 1911 team.

BIG LEAGUE SCORE BOARD

NATIONAL.

Yesterday's Results.

At Boston—(First game), New York, 5; Boston, 3. (Second game), Boston, 8; New York, 1.

At Philadelphia—(First game), Brooklyn, 3; Philadelphia, 1. (Second game, called end of fourteenth, darkness), Brooklyn, 4; Philadelphia, 4.

At Cincinnati—Pittsburg, postponed, wet grounds.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	97	48	.662
Philadelphia	85	58	.595
Chicago	85	64	.570
Pittsburg	78	69	.531
Boston	66	82	.446
Brooklyn	64	81	.441
Cincinnati	63	86	.423
St. Louis	49	99	.331

AMERICAN.

Yesterday's Results.

At New York—(First game), Boston, 1; New York, 3. (Second game), Boston, 1; New York, 5.

At Washington—Philadelphia, 6; Washington, 1.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	95	53	.642
Washington	86	63	.577
Cleveland	83	64	.565
Boston	76	69	.524
Chicago	76	72	.514
Detroit	64	84	.432
New York	57	91	.385
St. Louis	55	94	.369

PACIFIC COAST.

No Pacific Coast games scheduled.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Portland	94	74	.559
Venice	94	87	.519
Sacramento	89	83	.517
San Francisco	89	91	.494
Los Angeles	85	94	.472
Oakland	80	93	.467

Exhibition games—Portland Northwestern team, 8; Portland Coast team, 1. Meek's All-Stars, 6; Vancouver, 4.

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

It is now rumored that the Maritime Hockey League will start a war on the N. H. A. and Coast clubs.

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McGraw has started to use his younger twirlers, Hearne winning from Boston yesterday.

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Only one yacht finished in the Hathaway Cup race, the heavy sea making it necessary for the rest of the entries to put back to safe harbors.

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Willie Ritchie is now on his way east and he may not be back on the coast in time to fight Freddie Welsh on Thanksgiving Day.

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Jimmie Hewitt, sporting editor of the Vancouver Province, was at the track yesterday, but James states that the ponies run a little differently on the half-mile circuits.

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They are now talking in the east of having the trustees recall the Minto cup because of the blowup in the Coast League. That's about the only way they'll ever get it across the Rockies.

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With Nanaimo in the provincial Rugby series for the McKechnie cup, there is no possible chance for the Vancouver representative team to back down in playing off for the trophy as they did last year.

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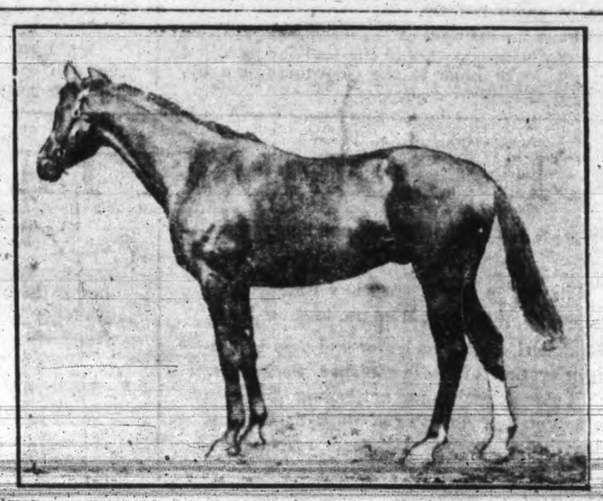
According to Bert Delmas, the Bees will have the fastest bunch of baserunners in the league next year. It is now in order for the directors to fix up the local diamond to avoid any more broken ankles sliding into bases.

GREAT BRITAIN



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VICTORIA, B. C., Monday, Sept. 29, 1913. 8th day. Weather clear. Track fast.
S. J. McGibbon, Presiding Judge. Edward Tribe, Starter.

3574 FIRST RACE—Five furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3560	Right Little, 3 (BJPerry)	101	5	..	2½	2 3	2 2½	1½	Claver
3541	Zulu, 6 (JCFerris&Co)	112	7	..	6 2½	4 2	4 2	2 1½	McMartin
3570	Buck Thomas, a (JNReynolds)	112	4	..	1½	1 1½	1 1	3 2	A. Martin
3572	Miss Sly, a (HWHoag&Co)	107	6	..	3 5	3 3	3 n	4 1½	Stevens
3549	Zinkand, 6 (JNeil)	112	3	..	7	6 h	6 2	5 h	O'Brien
3567	Lillian Ray, a (JBClark)	112	1	..	4 h	5 2	5½	6 5	C. Jones
3569	Chilton Trance, 4 (WAMcKin'y)	112	2	..	5 2	7	7	7	Cavanaugh

At post 3 minutes. Off at 2.37. Time—23 3-5, 48 4-5, 1.01 3-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Right Little, straight $22.40, place $6.60, show $4.20. Zulu, place $17.00, show $6.20. Buck Thomas, show $2.80.
Winner blk g by Right Royal-El Poco. Trained by A. A. Gregg.
Scratched—3531 The Fad 112, (3572) Moller 109.
Standing start good. Won first three driving.
Winner entered for $300. Bid up to $305 by J. Neil. Retained.

3575 SECOND RACE—Six and a half furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3572	Fire, 6 (GMelbourne&Co)	114	5	4 1	3 3	3 1½	2 1	1 1	Hill
3562	Daylight, 3 (EckertCo)	108	2	1½	1 1	1½	1 1	2½	Pickens
3562	Belle of Irog's,a (Jean'te&Riley)	114	3	2½	4 2½	4 1	4 1	3 h	McMartin
3558	Prieze, a (GBassett)	114	7	7	7	6 2½	5 n	4½	O'Brien
3555	Tom Chapman, 3 (DHowell)	103	4	5 h	6 h	5 h	6 4	6 2½	Claver
3562	Kittis Bum, 6 (DennyGo'dwin)	114	1	3 n	2½	2 h	3 h	6 2½	Taylor
3549	Startler, 5 (CNFreemanCo)	109	6	6 1½	5½	7	7	7	Hart

At post 2 minutes. Off at 3.03½. Time—24 4-5, 50, 1.16 1-5, 1.23 2-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Fire, straight $16.00, place $8.40, show $4.80. Daylight, place $5.00, show $3.80. Belle of Iroquois, show $3.60.
Winner b g by Cesarion-Incendiary. Trained by G. Melbourne.
Scratched—3522 Brack Bronta 114, (3567) Efficiency 114.
Standing start good. Won first three driving.
Winner entered for $300. No bid.

3576 THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3573	Dromi, 4 (TADavies)	106	1	1 2½	1 1½	1 1½	1 1½	1 h	Pickens
3557	Adena, a (JNBritten)	102	3	3½	3 h	2 h	2 h	2 n	Claver
3548	Fort Johnson, a (JCFerris&Co)	103	4	2 h	2 n	3 1½	3 2	3 2	Hill
3573	Shawnee, 6 (CNFreemanCo)	107	2	4 1	5 2	4½	4 2	4 1	Taylor
3564	Elgin, a (FRinehart&Co)	103	7	6 h	6 5	6 7	5 2½	5 4	McMartin
(3557)	Dahlgren, 6 (SanFranciscoSt)	109	5	5 4	4 1½	5 2	6 6	6 5	Anderson
3391	Crex, 5 (SHBerg)	102	6	7	7	7	7	7	Mott

At post 2 minutes. Off at 3.30. Time—24 4-5, 50 1-5, 1.16 2-5, 1.30.
$2 Mutuels paid—Dromi, straight $9.20, place $5.00, show $3.80. Adena, place $5.40, show $4.00. Fort Johnson, show $4.00.
Winner ch h by Solitaire II-Guida. Trained by M. Garrity.
Standing start good. Won first three driving.
Winner entered for $200. No bid.
Overweight—Dahlgren 2.

3577 FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3571	Buri, 4 (EdmontonSt)	115	3	..	2 3	1 n	1 3	1 2½	A. Martin
3554	Sea Cliff, a (HMcDaniel)	112	2	..	4½	4 4	3 1½	2 5	Anderson
3547	Marsand, 5 (JHAdams)	112	4	..	2 2	3 2	2 h	3 2½	Cavanaugh
(3522)	Flying Footsteps, 6 (LGladstone)	112	1	..	1 1	2½	4 2½	4½	Pickens
3570	Fitzgerald, 3 (JVBarnes)	106	5	..	5	5	5	5	Hill

At post ¼ minute. Off at 3.56. Time—24 4-5, 49 4-5, 1.16 1-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Buri, straight $18.00, place $5.60, show $3.40. Sea Cliff, place $3.00, show $2.80. Marsand, show $2.60.
Winner b h by Marius II-Norrine. Trained by E. Jackson.
Scratched—....Sam Rank, 112, 3370 Riojo 112.
Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third same.
Winner entered for $300. No bid.
BURI displayed good speed final quarter. CLIFF closed fast. MARSAND tired.

3578 FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3556	Mandadero, 4 (LEBird)	100	3	2 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 3	Claver
3568	Eddie Mott, 5 (TADavies)	109	2	4 1½	2 2	3 1	2 h	2½	Pickens
(3561)	Wiltrude S, 5 (ANealCo)	109	4	1 h	3 2	2½	2 1	3½	Hill
3564	Sadie Shapiro, 4 (Coburn Bros)	106	7	7 2	6 n	6 5	5 2	4 n	Cavanaugh
3565	Flying, 6 (SHBerg)	104	6	5 h	4 1	4 4	4 2	5 5	McMartin
(3546)	Far Cathay, 3 (SanFranciscoSt)	109	5	6½	7 2	5½	6 4	6 2	Anderson
3499	Hannis, a (GDahnkenJr)	100	8	8	8	8	8	7 2½	O'Brien
3447	Lady Rensselaer, a (EdmontonSt)	110	1	3½	5 h	7 2	7 2	8	A. Martin

At post 6½ minutes. Off at 4.28½. Time—24 4-5, 49 3-5, 1.16, 1.29 3-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Mandadero, straight $6.80, place $3.80, show $3.20. Eddie Mott, place $4.40, show $3.60. Wiltrude S, show $5.20.
Winner b g by Mazagan-Sekra. Trained by D. Ripley.
Scratched—3595 Safranor 109, 3561 Orba Smile 104.
Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Winner entered for $200. No bid.
Overweight—Lady Rensselaer 1, Eddie Mott 2, Sadie Shapiro 2, Mandadero 1.
MANDADERO took the lead from the start and drew out to win easily at the end. EDDIE MOTT followed up close throughout. WILTRUDE S a good effort.

3579 SIXTH RACE—Four and a half furlongs. Selling. Two-year-olds. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3537	Muy Buena (HMcDaniel)	112	1	..	4½	1 3	1 2	1 n	Anderson
3529	Va-Va (DRipley&Co)	104	3	..	5½	2 3	2 1½	2 5	Claver
3543	Virginia S (WStVincent)	109	5	..	3 n	3 h	3 1	3 2½	O'Brien
(3543)	Conjury (DHowell)	112	4	..	2 h	4 h	4 2	4 3	Stevens
3537	Custom House (TADavies)	112	2	..	1 h	5 2½	5 2	5 4	Pickens
3529	Repose (JCFerris&Co)	110	6	..	6	6	6	6	A. Martin

At post ¼ minute. Off at 4.50. Time—24 4-5, 50, 56 4-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Muy Buena, straight $4.00, place $3.00, show $2.40. Va-Va, place $4.20, show $2.40. Virginia S, show $2.80.
Winner b c by Russell-Lonely Lady. Trained by H. McDaniel.
Scratched—3539 Russ Sand 102.
Standing start good. Won driving. Second and third easily.
Winner entered for $200. No bid. Overweight—Repose 1.
BUENA hugged the rail and stood a drive. Va-Va lucky on first turn. HOUSE bore out.

3580 SEVENTH RACE—One mile and seventy yards. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $230, second $80, third $40.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
(3550)	Cool, a (HO&JALawry)	110	1	1 5	1 1½	1 2	1 1	1 2	Hill
3571	John Louis, a (WStVincent)	113	3	5	5	3 1	2 n	2½	O'Brien
(3571)	Balcliff, 5 (WAMcKinney)	108	2	2 h	2 1	2 h	3 1½	3½	Claver
3565	Gerds, 4 (FraserValleySt)	107	4	4 2½	4 1½	4 2½	4 3	4 6	McMartin
3547	The Monk, 6 (Pontius&Boland)	110	5	3 n	3 1	5	5	5	Taylor

At post 1½ minutes. Off at 5.17½. Time—24 2-5, 50 3-5, 1.16 1-5, 1.42 4-5, 1.47.
$2 Mutuels paid—Cool, straight $14.60, place $5.80, show $3.20. John Louis, place $6.40, show $3.00. Balcliff, show $2.40.
Winner b g by Disguise-Lady Gay. Trained by H. O. Lawry.
Winner [illegible] start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Standing [illegible] for $300. No bid.
Winner entered [illegible] LOUIS made a bold bid. BALCLIFF weakened.
COOL easily best.

3581 EIGHTH RACE—One [illegible] Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second [illegible] third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3558	Bredwell, 5 (SAmbrose)	105	2	1 3	1 2	1 3	1 3	O'Brien
3521	Meada, a (GBoyd)	107	1	2 3	3 1	2 2	2 2½	Pickens
3535	Delmas, 6 (TMartinCo)	103	6	4 2	4½	4 4	4 4	3 1	Claver
3566	Mabel King, 4 (DYandell)	104	4	3½	3 3	3 2	3 3	4 2	McDowell
3553	Mono Lake, 4 (Fraser ValleySt)	104	7	7 3	7 2	6 5	6 4	5 2	McMartin
3535	Trocha, a (JMcAvoy)	106	3	5½	5 4	5 1½	5 1½	6	Cavanaugh
3556	Wild Fern, 4 (CariblooSt)	104	8	8	8	8	8	7 2	A. Jones
3566	Birdie P, a (McAtee&Patterson)	104	5	6 6	6 1	7 2	7 1	8	Hill

At post 1 minute. Off at 5.44. Time—25, 50 1-5, 1.16 2-5, 1.44 1-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Bredwell, straight $6.80, place $5.00, show $2.80. Meada, place $8.00, show $3.60. Delmas, show $3.40.
Winner br g by Sempronius-Hunger. Trained by D. Dennison.
Scratched—2793 Joe Frank 104, 3566 Ben Greenleaf 104.
Standing start bad. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Winner entered for [illegible] No bid.
Overweight—Meada 3, Bredwell 1, Trocha 2, Delmas 1.

LOCALS TRIUMPH.

Victoria swimmers carried off highest honors at the Benwell Cup competitions, easily defeating the Vancouver entrants, who failed to finish one, two, three. The results were:

Winner of Benwell cup and medal, Walter Head, 97 per cent.; second prize, silver medal, Arthur C. Sutton, 95½ per cent.; third prize, silver medal, Thomas Heyland, 88 per cent.

The Lord Desborough Cup competition takes place on Saturday, October 4, at the Y. M. C. A. gala here, and commences sharp at 8 o'clock. Entries must be sent to the acting-secretary, W. D. Muir, 312 Jones building, city, on or before September 30. Entrance fee for each team is $1. This is the principal life-saving trophy in the province and is at present located in Vancouver.

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SPORTING NEWS

THE WOODBINE, TORONTO

A view of the steeplechase at the Woodbine, won by Weldship, the favorite. The horse falling is Foxcraft.

RIGHT LITTLE WAS WINNER YESTERDAY

B. J. Perry Forced to Spend Extra Hundred to Cover Sprinters

Public choices again fell down in yesterday's racing at the Willows. It was a card of surprises and from the moment that Right Little headed a class field to the wire for a dividend of ten to one until the final race, the favorites found the going rather heavy. Mandadero, Muy Buena and Bredwell were the heavily played animals that scored clean-cut wins, but there were some startling good prices paid. The track was in grand shape and a large crowd helped things along, the racing being of a high standard.

Horse Was Boosted.

It cost B. J. Perry an additional hundred dollars to win the first race with his speedy gelding, Right Little, this animal being bid up to $305 before its owner could reclaim him after he had come through in the stretch to win the opening event of the day's card. Owner Perry, therefore, wins but a few dollars on the race. This was the first attempt to bid up a horse at the meeting and caused no little comment amongst the owners who do not look with favor upon this action of another owner. Jockey Hill had a couple of winners, while Claver was placed on all but one of the mounts he piloted during the afternoon. Jockey Taylor after riding an indifferent race on The Monk, complained of sickness and was replaced by Pickens on Meada in the last race; Pickens brought the veteran into second position.

Right Little in First.

For the second time this meeting, Buck Thomas proved a false alarm when he allowed Right Little and Zulu to beat him out in the stretch run for the opening event. Thomas set the pace all the way, but had nothing left in the stretch, while Right Little and Zulu furnished a driving finish for the big end of the purse. Both were long shots, Zulu paying $17 to place. Fire got away with one of his good races in the second and finished in front of a classy field with a little to spare. Hill rode a nice race, Daylight just managing to stall off Belle of Iroquois. Tom Chapman had a strong following, but he did not show the early speed necessary to stick with the leaders. Davies put a winner over in the third when Dromi went to the front and stayed there. Adena came up from nowhere in the stretch and grabbed place money from Fort Johnson, while Shawnee was not placed.

Favorites in Front.

Two of the good things were outclassed in the fourth event, Buri having a cinch. Fitzgerald and Flying Footsteps were called as sure winners with Buri a rank outsider. Sea Cliff found plenty of backing, but there was nothing to it but the Edmonton Stable entry. Fitzgerald got away bad and finished absolutely last. Eight went to post in the fifth, Mandadero and Eddie Mott being most fancied. The former won in nice fashion, with Mott second and Wiltrude S. third. Flying failed to hold the pace coming into the stretch, while Sadie Shapiro was also found wanting in the final brush. Muy Buena was backed off the boards in the next event, and the McDaniel sprinter won going away. Virginia S. lost out in an exciting battle in the stretch from Va-Va who was coming like a house afire. Claver delayed his sprint until too late or he might have had a chance to win first.

Cool Again Wins.

Balcliff was a big favorite for the mile and seventy yards, but Hill sent Cool out into a big lead from the barrier and the veteran campaigner simply stayed there. Taylor gave The Monk a wretched ride, losing all chances of getting placed. Claver could not catch Cool, and John Louis was an easy third. Cool paid seven to one and was never in danger. Bredwell showed his class in going out in front from the "gate" in the getaway event and stalling off all opposition. Meada, with Pickens in the saddle, set out after the flying leader at the half-way pole, but O'Brien was not to be beaten and won hands down. Delmas, another well-played animal, was third.

The races were run off in remarkably quick fashion and Starter Tribe did not find it necessary to set down any of the boys for disobedience at the post. There was a little crowding, but the fields were large and starting on the turns makes it impossible to eliminate the jam at the corners.

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AMATEUR UNION TO INVESTIGATE

Will Look Into Alliance With Swimming Association; Presidency Comes Here

Vancouver, Sept. 30.—The annual meeting of the British Columbia Amateur Athletic Union was held at the Vancouver Athletic Club on Saturday when the championship meets for next year were awarded. Port Alberni was granted the annual track and field championship meet, while Victoria was given the boxing and wrestling championships. The Capital had the latter this year, but failed to make use of the privilege. The V. A. C. was tendered the management of the annual Thanksgiving Day road race.

The election of officers resulted in D. O'Sullivan, of Victoria, succeeding the retiring president, Dr. Davidson, of Vancouver. The vice-presidents are Rev. A. E. Vert, of New Westminster, and F. H. Swain, of Alberni. Arthur Manson, of Victoria, is the new secretary. Messrs. Davidson, Vert, Archibald and O'Sullivan were appointed to the board of directors.

It was decided to declare reinstated all football players who have taken the formal affidavit that they intend to abide by the Amateur Union. Victoria players who have made application for reinstatement, but who have not signed affidavits, will be looked after by the Victoria local board. The question of reinstatement of the Westham Island team was referred to the New Westminster local board with power to act.

It was decided that the local board should be given power to deal with soccer reinstatements for two weeks further. After that time no more applications will be received except in the regular way.

A lengthy discussion took place over the agreement between the A. A. U. of C. and the Amateur Swimming Association, and finally it was decided to communicate further with the A. A. U. of C. in regard to the articles of alliance. The chief questions in dispute are whether or not the A. S. A. and the B. C. A. A. U. shall mutually honor each other's amateur standing cards, and whether or not the A. S. A. shall regard the B. C. A. A. U. as the final arbitrar in regard to registration, etc.

It was resolved: "That Dr. Davidson, the secretary, Mr. Archibald and Rev. A. E. Vert be appointed a committee to communicate with the A. A. U. of C. to ascertain whether the articles of alliance as signed have been properly drawn up and signed, and that this matter be left in abeyance until this is found out. Also that this committee have power to act in advising the delegates of the union to the annual meeting of the A. A. U. of C. the stand of this executive."

A. Cotter, who represented the A. S. A., agreed, in the meantime, that the B. C. A. A. U. cards would be good at the next swimming championships, which will be held in about a fortnight.

SAANICH MEET FOR SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Track and Field Manager Peter Tester, who is looking after the sports programme for the Saanich fair, on Saturday, reports that he will have one of the finest of entries that has ever been gathered together on the island for the first annual athletic meet of this association. Hal. Beasley and a number of other local stars will compete, while a great number of Saanich Peninsula athletes have been training hard for the sports. The relay race will be one of the features, together with the sprints and a five-mile motorcycle race. Post entries for all events will be received on the grounds.

JEWELERS DROP ALL THREE GAMES

Ramblers defeated the Shortt, Hill & Duncan team. The scores:

Ramblers.			
Barton	198	165	152
Beck	147	153	138
Galbraith	123	126	145
Archibald	132	151	166
Jameson	136	191	166
Totals	736	771	741

Shortt, Hill & Duncan.			
Aldridge	150	171	155
Eilers	129	89	78
Fulcher	123	126	124
Duncan	183	124	99
Bower	187	133	145
Total	702	643	613

MAJOR PENNANTS ARE CINCHED FOR YEAR

New York, Sept. 30.—Last week saw the pennant contests in both National and American leagues settled beyond dispute and arrangements for the big series between the New York Nationals and Philadelphia Americans completed. The "crucial series" of the year will open at the Polo Grounds, New York, on October 7, and be fought out there and at Shibe Park, Philadelphia, until the winning of four games gives either the Giants or the Athletics the right to inscribe the legend, "World's Champions, 1913," on the club's banner.

Teams Look Even.

The personnel of the two teams is not greatly changed from that of two years ago, when the Athletics won the series. Experts generally figure a decrease in defensive strength by the Mack men, through the loss of Jack Coombs, and a corresponding gain by the Giants through the addition of Tesreau and Demaree to the box staff, while Mathewson and Marquard still remain to oppose Bender and Plank. This leaves out of the reckoning, however, the large group of Philadelphia colt pitchers. It is interesting to note that while the Athletics have worked effectively out of their batting slump and now are belaboring the ball in old time style, the Giants have not shown a corresponding return to the hitting form. Last week McGraw's men averaged 3½ runs to the game, while the Mack men were getting nearly 7.

The Athletics' canny leader gave his veteran box men a good rest last week, Bender not showing once on the mound and Plank only for a few innings in one game. McGraw had to use out his string to clinch the pennant. Mathewson, Marquard, Tesreau and Demaree doubtless will be given just enough work the coming seven days to keep in condition for the big job ahead of them.

BEASLEY TO RUN AT PORTOLA SPORTS

Hal Beasley will be one of the Northwestern sprinters to take part in the Portola Festival which will be held at San Francisco the latter part of next month. The complete team is as follows:

100 and 200 yards — Baker, Oregon Agricultural College; Turenne, University of Washington; H. Beasley, J. B. A. A., Victoria.

440 and 880 yards—Windnagle, University of Oregon.

One mile—Clyde, University of Washington; McClure, University of Oregon.

Five miles—Chandler, Vancouver Athletic Club.

High jump—Thomassen, Seattle Athletic Club.

Pole vault—Bellah, Multnomah Club, Portland.

Broad jump—Bellah, Hawkins, Multnomah Athletic Club, Portland.

Javelin — Bellah, Hawkins, Multnomah Club.

Shot, hammer and discus—Philbrook, Walf, Multnomah Club; Con Walsh, Seattle Athletic Club.

TO-DAY IN PUGILISTIC ANNALS

1887—Ike Weir and Johnny Murphy fought 17-round draw in Boston. "Prof." Murphy, a little 112-pounder, was boxing instructor at Harvard, and a big crowd of students were present to root for their favorite. The "Belfast Spider" also had a big following in Boston. The betting was brisk and thousands were wagered on the result. It was scheduled as a fight to a finish with three-inch gloves, but the cops broke into the clubhouse during the seventeenth round and stopped the bout. Weir had set the pace all the way, and looked like a sure winner, but the referee called it a draw. Later that year Weir won the world's featherweight title.

1903—Bob Fitzsimmons knocked out Con Coughlin in first round at Philadelphia.

1908—Owen Moran defeated Eddie Hanlon in 20 rounds at San Francisco.

1912—Gunboat Smith knocked out Jim Savage in third round at New York.

TOURISTS DISBAND.

R. B. Benjamin, the genial manager of the Australian cricket team, was the recipient of a purse of sovereigns and a handsome address from the members of the team, which disbanded after Saturday's match. The address was signed by every member of the team and the majority will leave on to-morrow's boat for Australia. Mr. Macartney will alone remain in the capital for another month. Several of the team are returning to Australia by different routes.

JACK MAYNARD

Captain of the Toronto Varsity Rugby team for 1913. He was also captain of the 1911 team.

BIG LEAGUE SCORE BOARD

NATIONAL.

Yesterday's Results.

At Boston—(First game), New York, 5; Boston, 3. (Second game), Boston, 8; New York, 1.

At Philadelphia—(First game), Brooklyn, 3; Philadelphia, 1. (Second game, called end of fourteenth, darkness), Brooklyn, 4; Philadelphia, 4.

At Cincinnati—Pittsburg, postponed, wet grounds.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	97	48	.669
Philadelphia	85	58	.596
Chicago	85	64	.570
Pittsburg	78	69	.531
Boston	66	82	.446
Brooklyn	64	81	.441
Cincinnati	63	86	.423
St. Louis	49	99	.331

AMERICAN.

Yesterday's Results.

At New York—(First game), Boston, 1; New York, 3. (Second game), Boston, 1; New York, 5.

At Washington—Philadelphia, 0; Washington, 1.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	95	53	.642
Washington	86	63	.577
Cleveland	83	64	.565
Boston	76	69	.524
Chicago	76	72	.514
Detroit	64	84	.432
New York	57	91	.385
St. Louis	55	94	.369

PACIFIC COAST.

No Pacific Coast games scheduled.

Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Portland	94	74	.559
Venice	94	87	.519
Sacramento	86	83	.511
San Francisco	89	91	.494
Los Angeles	85	94	.472
Oakland	80	93	.467

Exhibition games—Portland, Northwestern team, 8; Portland Coast team, 1. Meek's All-Stars, 6; Vancouver, 4.

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

It is now rumored that the Maritime Hockey League will start a war on the N. H. A. and Coast clubs.

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McGraw has started to use his younger twirlers, Hearne winning from Boston yesterday.

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Only one yacht finished in the Hathaway Cup race, the heavy sea making it necessary for the rest of the entries to put back to safe harbors.

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Willie Ritchie is now on his way east and he may not be back on the coast in time to fight Freddie Welsh on Thanksgiving Day.

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Jimmie Hewitt, sporting editor of the Vancouver Province, was at the track yesterday, but James states that the ponies run a little differently on the half-mile circuits.

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They are now talking in the east of having the trustees recall the Minto cup because of the blowup in the Coast League. That's about the only way they'll ever get it across the Rockies.

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With Nanaimo in the provincial Rugby series for the McKechnie cup, there is no possible chance for the Vancouver representative team to back down in playing off for the trophy as they did last year.

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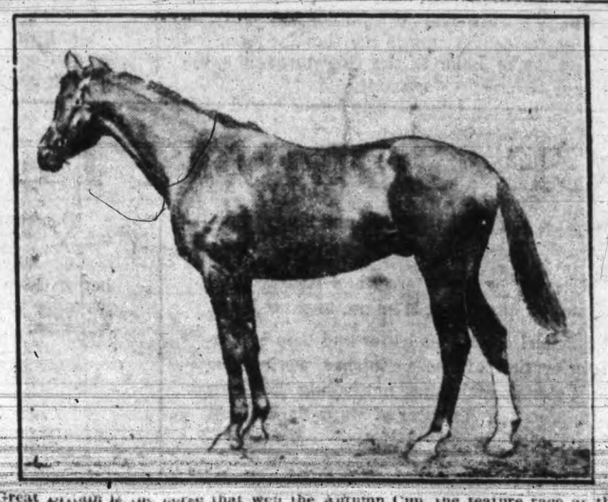
According to Bert Delmas, the Bees will have the fastest bunch of baserunners in the league next year. It is now in order for the club directors to fix up the local diamond to avoid any more broken ankles sliding into bases.

GREAT BRITAIN



Great Britain is the horse that won the Autumn Cup, the feature race at the Woodbine, Toronto, on Saturday, Sept. 20.

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DAILY RACING NEWS FORM CHART

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VICTORIA, B. C., Monday, Sept. 29, 1913. 8th day. Weather, clear. Track fast.
S. J. McGibbon, Presiding Judge. Edward Tribe, Starter.

3574 FIRST RACE—Five furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3560	Right Little, 3 (BJPerry)	101	5	..	2½	2 3	2 2½	1½	Claver
3541	Zulu, 6 (JCFerris&Co)	112	7	..	6 2½	4 2	4 2	2 1½	McMartin
3570	Buck Thomas, a (JNReynolds)	112	4	..	1½	1 1½	1 1	3 2	A. Martin
3572	Miss Sly, a (HWHoag&Co)	107	6	..	3 5	3 3	3 n	4 1½	Stevens
3549	Zinkand, 6 (JNeil)	112	3	..	7	6 h	6 2	5 h	O'Brien
3567	Lillian Ray, a (JBClark)	112	1	..	4 h	5 2	5½	6 5	C. Jones
3560	Chilton Trance, 4 (WAMcKin'y)	112	2	..	5 2	7	7	7	Cavanaugh

At post 3 minutes. Off at 2.37. Time—23 3-5, 48 4-5, 1.01 3-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Right Little, straight $22.40, place $6.60, show $4.20. Zulu, place $17.00, show $6.20. Buck Thomas, show $2.80.
Winner blk g by Right Royal-El Poco. Trained by A. A. Gregg.
Scratched—3531 The Fad 112, (3572) Moller 109.
Standing start good. Won first three driving.
Winner entered for $200. Bid up to $305 by J. Neil. Retained.

3575 SECOND RACE—Six and a half furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3572	Fire, 6 (GMelbourne&Co)	114	5	4 1	3 3	3 1½	2 1	1 1	Hill
3562	Daylight, 3 (Eckert&Co)	108	2	1½	1 1	1½	1 1	2½	Pickens
3562	Belle of Iroq'is (Jean'te&Riley)	114	3	2½	4 2½	4 1	4 1	3 h	McMartin
3558	Frieze, a (GBassett)	114	7	7	7	6 2½	5 n	4½	O'Brien
3555	Tom Chapman, 3 (DHowell)	103	4	5 h	6 h	5 h	6 4	5 2½	Claver
3562	Kittie Bum, 6 (Denny&Ge'dwin)	114	1	3 n	2½	2 h	3 h	6 2½	Taylor
3549	Startler, 5 (CNFreeman&Co)	109	6	6 1½	5½	7	7	7	Hart

At post 2 minutes. Off at 3.02½. Time—24 4-5, 50 1-5, 1.16 1-5, 1.23 2-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Fire, straight $16.00, place $8.40, show $4.80. Daylight, place $5.60, show $3.80. Belle of Iroquois, show $3.60.
Winner b g by Cesarion-Incendiary. Trained by G. Melbourne.
Scratched—3522 Brack Bronta 114, (3567) Efficiency 114.
Standing start good. Won first three driving.
Winner entered for $200. No bid.

3576 THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3573	Dromi, 4 (TADavies)	106	1	1 2½	1 1½	1 1½	1 1½	1 h	Pickens
3557	Adena, a (JNBritten)	102	3	3½	3 h	2 h	2 h	2 n	Claver
3548	Fort Johnson, a (JCFerris&Co)	103	4	2 h	2 n	3 1½	3 2	3 2	Hill
3573	Shawnee, 6 (CNFreeman&Co)	107	2	4 1	5 2	4½	4 2	4 1	Taylor
3564	Elgin, a (FRinehart&Co)	103	7	6 h	6 5	6 7	5 2½	5 4	McMartin
(3557)	Dahlgren, 6 (SanFranciscoSt)	109	5	5 4	4 1½	5 2	6 6	6 5	Anderson
3391	Crex, 5 (SHBerg)	102	6	7	7	7	7	7	Mott

At post 2 minutes. Off at 3.30. Time—24 4-5, 50 1-5, 1.16 2-5, 1.30.
$2 Mutuels paid—Dromi, straight $9.20, place $5.00, show $3.80. Adena, place $5.40, show $4.00. Fort Johnson, show $4.00.
Winner ch h by Solitaire II-Guida. Trained by M. Garrity.
Standing start good. Won first three driving.
Winner entered for $200. No bid.
Overweight—Dahlgren 2.

3577 FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3571	Buri, 4 (EdmontonSt)	115	3	..	2 3	1 n	1 3	1 2½	A. Martin
3554	Sea Cliff, a (HMcDaniel)	112	2	..	4½	4 4	3 1½	2 5	Anderson
3547	Marsand, 5 (JHAdams)	112	4	..	2 2	3 2	2 h	3 2½	Cavanaugh
(3572)	Flying Footsteps, 6 (LGladstone)	112	1	..	1 1	2 2	4 2½	4 6	Pickens
3570	Fitzgerald, 3 (JVBarnes)	106	5	..	5	5	5	5	Hill

At post ¼ minute. Off at 3.56. Time—24 4-5, 49 4-5, 1.16 1-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Buri, straight $18.00, place $5.60, show $3.40. Sea Cliff, place $3.60, show $2.80. Marsand, show $2.60.
Winner b h by Marius II-Norrine. Trained by E. Jackson.
Scratched—....Sam Rank, 112, 3370 Riojo 112.
Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third same.
Winner entered for $200. No bid.
BURI displayed good speed final quarter. CLIFF closed fast. MARSAND tired.

3578 FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3556	Mandadero, 4 (LEBird)	100	3	2 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 3	Claver
3564	Eddie Mott, a (TADavies)	106	2	4 1½	3 2	3 1	2 h	2½	Pickens
(3561)	Wiltrude S, 5 (ANeal&Co)	102	4	1 h	2 2	2½	2 1	3½	Hill
3564	Sadie Shapiro, 4 (Coburn Bros)	106	7	7 2	6 n	6 5	5 2	4 n	Cavanaugh
3562	Flying, 6 (SHBerg)	104	6	5 h	4 1	4 4	4 2	5 5	McMartin
(3546)	Far Cathay, 3 (SanFranciscoSt)	109	5	6½	7 2	5½	6 4	6 2	Anderson
3499	Hannis, a (GDahnken,Jr)	109	8	8	8	8	8	7 2½	O'Brien
3447	Lady Rensselaer, a (EdmontonSt)	110	1	3½	5 h	7 2	7 2	8	A. Martin

At post 61 minutes. Off at 4.28½. Time—24 4-5, 49 3-5, 1.16, 1.29 3-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Mandadero, straight $6.80, place $3.80, show $3.20. Eddie Mott, place $4.40, show $3.60. Wiltrude S, show $2.20.
Winner b g by Mazagan-Sekra. Trained by D. Ripley.
Scratched—3595 Safranor 109, 3561 Orba Smile 104.
Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Winner entered for $200. No bid.
Overweight—Lady Rensselaer 1, Eddie Mott 2, Sadie Shapiro 2, Mandadero 1.
MANDADERO took the lead from the start and drew out to win easily at the end. EDDIE MOTT followed up close throughout. WILTRUDE S a good effort.

3579 SIXTH RACE—Four and a half furlongs. Selling. Two-year-olds. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
3537	Muy Buena (HMcDaniel)	112	1	..	4½	1 3	1 2	1 n	Anderson
3529	Va-Va (DRipley&Co)	104	3	..	5½	2 3	2 1½	2 5	Claver
3543	Virginia S (WStVincent)	102	5	..	2 n	3 h	3 1	3 2½	O'Brien
(3543)	Conjury (DHowell)	112	4	..	2 h	4 h	4 2	4 3	Stevens
3537	Custom House (TADavies)	112	2	..	1 h	5 2½	5 2	5 4	Pickens
3529	Repose (JCFerris&Co)	110	6	..	6	6	6	6	A. Martin

At post ¼ minute. Off at 4.59. Time—24 4-5, 50, 56 4-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Muy Buena, straight $4.00, place $3.60, show $2.40. Va-Va, place $4.20, show $2.40. Virginia S, show $2.80.
Winner b c by Russell-Lonely Lady. Trained by H. McDaniel.
Scratched—3559 Russ Sand 102.
Standing start good. Won driving. Second and third easily.
Winner entered for $200. No bid. Overweight—Repose 1.
BUENA hugged the rail and stood a drive. Va-Va lucky on first turn. HOUSE bore out.

3580 SEVENTH RACE—One mile and seventy yards. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $220, second $80, third $40.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
(3550)	Cool, a (HO&JALawry)	110	1	1 5	1 1½	1 2	1 1	1 2	Hill
3571	John Louis, a (WStVincent)	113	3	5	5	3 1	2 n	2½	O'Brien
(3571)	Balcliff, 5 (WAMcKinney)	108	2	2 h	2 1	2 h	3 1½	3½	Claver
3565	Gerds, 4 (FraserValleySt)	107	4	4 2½	4 1½	4 2½	4 3	4 6	McMartin
3547	The Monk, 6 (Pontius&Boland)	110	5	3 n	3 1	5	5	5	Taylor

At post 1½ minutes. Off at 5.17½. Time—24 2-5, 50 3-5, 1.16 1-5, 1.42 4-5, 1.47.
$2 Mutuels paid—Cool, straight $14.60, place $5.80, show $3.20. John Louis, place $6.40, show $3.00. Balcliff, show $2.40.
Winner b g by Disguise-Lady Gay. Trained by H. O. Lawry.
Standing start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Winner entered for $200. No bid.
LOUIS made a bold bid. BALCLIFF weakened.
COOL easily best.

3581 EIGHTH RACE—One mile. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Net value to winner $210, second $60, third $30.

Index.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
2793	Bredwell, 5 (SAmbrose)	105	2	1 ..	1 3	1 2	1 2	1 3	O'Brien
3521	Meada, a (GBoyd)	107	1	2 3	..	2 1	2 2	2 2½	Pickens
3535	Delmas, 6 (TMartin&Co)	103	6	4 2	4 2	4 4	4 4	3 1	Claver
3566	Mabel King, 4 (DYandell)	104	4	3½	3 3	3 2	3 2	4 2	McDowell
3553	Mono Lake, 4 (Fraser ValleySt)	104	7	7 3	7 2	6 5	6 4	5 2	McMartin
3535	Trocha, a (JMcAvoy)	106	3	5½	5 4	5 1½	5 1½	6 h	Cavanaugh
3566	Wild Fern, 4 (CaribooSt)	104	8	8	8	8	8	7 2	C. Jones
3566	Birdie P, a (McAtee&Patterson)	104	5	6 6	6 1	7 2	7 1	8	Hill

At post 1 minute. Off at 5.44. Time—25, 50 1-5, 1.16 2-5, 1.44 1-5.
$2 Mutuels paid—Bredwell, straight $6.80, place $5.00, show $2.80. Meada, place $8.00, show $5.60. Delmas, show $3.40.
Winner br g by Sempronius-Hunger. Trained by D. Dennison.
Scratched—2793 Joe Frank 104, 3566 Ben Greenleaf 104.
Standing start bad. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Winner entered for $200. No bid.
Overweight—Meada 3, Bredwell 1, Trocha 2, Delmas 1.

LOCALS TRIUMPH.

Victoria swimmers carried off highest honors at the Benwell Cup competitions, easily defeating the Vancouver entrants, who failed to finish one, two, three. The results were:

Winner of Benwell cup and medal, Walter Head, 97 per cent.; second prize, silver medal, Arthur C. Sutton, 95½ per cent.; third prize, silver medal, Thomas Heyland, 88 per cent.

The Lord Desborough Cup competition takes place on Saturday, October 4, at the Y. M. C. A. gala here, and commences sharp at 8 o'clock. Entries must be sent to the acting-secretary, W. D. Muir, 312 Jones building, city, on or before September 30. Entrance fee for each team is $1. This is the principal life-saving trophy in the province and is at present located in Vancouver.

In the palm of the hand there are 3,251 pores to the square inch. If these pores were united, end to end, they would measure nearly five miles.

SPORTING NEWS (CONTINUED)

CHANGE IN START AT WILLOWS TRACK

Country Club Instals "Chute;" Wednesday Set Apart as Ladies' Day

Judge McGibben announces that the Country Club will in the future start all five-eighth dashes from a "chute" that will eliminate the crowding at the corner when the barrier is shot. Too many good horses are jammed in the short races, in the opinion of the judges and they will have the "chute" ready for Wednesday. The five furlongs will be about ten yards short of the distance, but this is not expected to make any difference in the results. Judge McGibben is authority for the statement that Victoria supports horse racing as well if not better than any city of its size in the Northwest, and he is looking forward to the establishment of a new racing plant in the capital.

On Wednesday all ladies will be admitted to the track and grandstand, also paddock, free of charge. It is possible that the association will set aside one or two days each week as Ladies' Day, so as to attract the fair sex in greater numbers. On this day, one of the big stakes of the meet will be competed for and eight races will be carded.

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McBride will not be able to ride for the rest of the meeting.

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Superintendent Martin certainly has the track in grand shape. He has worked day and night on the circuit this year.

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Crex was in at 97 pounds in the third race, but never had a chance with such speeders as Dromi and Adena.

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A number of speedy animals arrived this morning from Vancouver. There are now over 500 at the track.

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Because of his fracas with McBride, Jockey Gargan will not be allowed to ride other than his father's mounts.

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Wild Fern was left absolutely standing when the barrier went up in the final event, but Jockey Jones made up a lot of ground and finished well up.

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Va-Va came from behind like a bullet in the sixth, but Muy Buena had just enough left to win by a nose.

DELMAS TO SCOUT FOR NEW PLAYERS

President Wattelet, of the Bees, arrived home to-day and states that there is every probability of the Portland club remaining in the Northwestern League next year. Before disbanding Watty had an interview with Manager Delmas, and the latter will spend his spare time this winter scouting for new players. Several are already signed and the 1914 Bees will present a greatly changed appearance.

Seattle, Sept. 30.—An all-star team of the Northwestern League won an exhibition game from the pennant-winning Vancouver team by a score of 6 to 4. Kaufman, the Tacoma twirler, was in the box for the all-stars, and Meek was catching. Schmutz pitched for the Beavers, with Grindle behind the bat. Kaufman allowed 11 hits and Schmutz was hit up for 8.

Arthur Devlin, former New York Giant third baseman and this season infielder with the Boston Nationals and Rochester clubs, will manage the Oakland team next season.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 30.—The Portland Northwestern League team outplayed the Portland Coast League team in every department in their annual inter-club game, and won 8 to 1.

BRESNAHAN'S BROTHER DEAD.

Toledo, Ohio, Sept. 30. — Cornelius Bresnahan, 51, brother of Roger Bresnahan, of the Chicago baseball club, died this morning as the result of a fractured skull sustained in a quarrel in a saloon last night. The fight was over a violin. Charles Nadolny, of Toledo, has been arrested and charged with the assault on Bresnahan.

SENIOR CLUB HAS CHANGED ITS NAME

Rangers to Replace Hibernians in Senior League; S. O. E. Will Give Dance in Month

When the Victoria District Football Association meets this week, it will have to consider the Rangers as a senior club. The Hibernians at a meeting held last week, decided to switch their names to Rangers and they will ask the league to make the necessary changes in the schedule and certificates already handed in. It is understood that Dave Dougan will have charge of the new club and he expects to get his team out this week in order to get into shape for Saturday's opening fixture against the J. B. A. A.

Six soccer games are booked for this week-end, the seniors playing three. The schedules are as follows:

Senior.

Rangers vs. J. B. A. A.
Thistles vs. V. A. A. A.
North Ward vs. S. O. E.

Intermediate.

V. W. A. A. vs. North Ward.
Empress vs. Men's Own.
Empire vs. Pandora.

Official grounds, Beacon Hill, McDonald's field, North Ward, Royal Athletic, Oak Bay and Canteen.

A meeting of the Sons of England Soccer Club was held last night at the Victoria barber shop, when the members decided to hold a dance at an early date, to collect funds with which to start the season. This club has exceptionally bright prospects and Secretary Jack Fletcher is confident that he can win a first division berth this season. The date of the dance will be announced shortly.

Thistles have selected the following team to play the Pandora eleven on McDonald's field in Saturday's opening: Baker, Pym, Davies, P. Smith, W. Smith, McKim (capt.), Hayward, Hopkins, Turner, James and Marshall. Spares, Martin and Laity.

The reserves of this club will play against the Navy on Saturday at the Canteen grounds, their line-up being: Rutherford, Jackson, Cross, Caine, Mahoney, Burt, Stringer, Norton, Hill (capt.) Mahoney and Hall.

A meeting of the Victoria and District Football Association will be held at Sam Lorimer's billiard parlor to-morrow night.

For the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, the Wards will gather to-night at Lorimer's billiard emporium.

Following are the results of yesterday's scheduled Scottish league football matches: Celtic 2, Clyde 0; Rangers 5, Queen's Park 0; Third Lanark 2, Patrick Thistles 1.

SOME NERVE.

Montreal, Sept. 30. — The Minto cup may come east without the New Westminster lacrosse club, its present holders being able to defend it under the regulation in the rules governing the possession of the trophy which says that it must be held by a club in a league. The British Columbia league having collapsed, this rule will be applied by the cup trustees, who will probably order the Irish-Canadians, winners of the Dominion Lacrosse Union, to play the winners of the N. L. U. in Montreal.

VICTORIOUS YOUNG MARKSMEN.

This morning the members of the University School rifle team, which won the inter-schools championship of Canada, received the medals given for this competition by Lt.-Col. Wurtele, of Kingston. This team also won the R. M. C. shield in the same contest. The four young marksmen who have thus distinguished themselves over all the other school shots in Canada are Captain P. R. M. Wallis, Lieutenant Inverarity, Lieutenant Drewry and Bugler Winch.

PAPKE MATCHED.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 30.—Announcement was made to-day that Billy Papke has been matched to meet Mart Rowan in an eight-round bout here on October 14. The men will weigh in at 158 pounds ringside.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Leaders Brushing Up for World's Series.

With their league titles stowed away for another season, Connie Mack and "Muggsy" McGraw are now engaged in preparing their teams for the big series next week. Both managers are finishing out their regular schedule with patched-up lineups, neither caring to take a chance on one of his regulars being injured just before the big series. McGraw has announced that both Doyle and Snodgrass will be back in the game in the finest of condition so that the clubs will go to the post in grand shape. There will be no excuses, though Mack would like to have Coombs in the game. McGraw has the edge in the battery department and base running, while the Athletics lead in hitting and fielding. It looks an even break, though McGraw's twirlers may decide the issue.

Fielder Jones Refuses to Show His Hand.

Nothing of great importance was revealed at the meeting of the Northwestern League magnates which was held at Seattle. At least, the public are still left wondering at the stand that the league will take in connection with the Portland franchise for next year. Something will have to be done before the annual meeting in December and the appointment of a committee to go before the Coast League directors shows that the Northwestern Club owners are after an understanding once and for all. It would be far better for the league to take the franchise away from the Rose City unless the Coast club gives a lease for a number of years on that territory. Two teams in Seattle would probably pay better than a club in Portland, though Dugdale might not wish to divide his field. The entire matter now rests with the decision of the Coast Leaguers, who, from their recent published statements, will not raise any objections to the Northwestern continuing to run a team in Portland.

THREE CLUBS FOR M'KECHNIE SERIES

Nanaimo Admitted to British Columbia Union; Home and Home Schedule Adopted

Nanaimo was admitted to the British Columbia Rugby Union at the annual meeting of this body at the Terminal City, Victoria and Vancouver comprising the other clubs. Each club will play home and home games with the two other teams in the league, and there will be no possibility of any deadlock such as resulted last year. Should there be a tie, two games will be played to decide the championship and possession of the McKechnie cup.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing season: President, J. N. Rudd, Nanaimo; vice-presidents, J. E. Miller, Victoria, and C. Gardner Johnson, Vancouver; secretary, W. Newcombe, Victoria; committee, R. P. Woodward, Vancouver; W. H. Spalding, Victoria; R. Hindmarsh, Nanaimo.

The schedule follows: November 1, Vancouver at Nanaimo; November 15, Victoria at Vancouver; November 29, Nanaimo at Victoria; January 10, Nanaimo at Vancouver; January 31, Vancouver at Victoria; February 14, Victoria at Nanaimo.

Official referees were appointed as follows: Vancouver, L. Patterson, W. J. T. McKay, E. Brooke-Little, T. E. D. Burn, R. Dwelley; Victoria, A. D. B. Scott, F. A. Sparks, H. A. Spencer, J. McClure; Nanaimo, J. McKinnell, W. Wilton.

Those present were: T. Webb and R. T. S. Sachs, Vancouver; W. R. Mitchell and R. Dobson, Nanaimo; and W. Spalding, A. D. B. Scott and W. A. Newcombe, secretary, Victoria.

SCRAP BOOK.

Indians Celebrate Festival of the Learned St. Jerome.

In the Christian calendar to-day is dedicated to the worship of St. Jerome, the reviser of the Latin Bible and one of the most scholarly of early Christians. The whole Christian world honors the learned and eloquent hermit whose luminous writings exerted so profound an influence upon the faith, but it is among the rude and unlettered Indians of the southwest and Mexico that the feast day of the savant is most generally celebrated. For some reason the aborigines of those sections long ago adopted San Geronimo as their patron saint. Even among the Apaches, the ferocious Ishmaelites of New Mexico and Arizona, the veneration of St. Jerome has long been prevalent, and their murderous chief, Geronimo, bore the name of the scholarly saint.

For many years the feast of San Geronimo has been celebrated on each thirtieth of September by a great gathering in Taos, New Mexico. Apaches, Navajos and Utes, together with thousands of Mexicans, make the annual pilgrimage to Taos. Some of them travel hundreds of miles to take part in the sports, festivities and exercises of the day. While the festival bears the name of a Christian saint, the ceremonies are largely pagan. After brief religious devotions and an address by a black-robed Indian, the weird tribal dances begin, and continue through the day, alternating with races between fleet-footed warriors and other trials of strength and speed. The great feature of the fiesta is the greased pole contest, and the victor becomes the hero of the day.

The San Geronimo fiesta concludes with a great feast and with offerings to the gods of the harvest. This latter feature, as well as the tribal dances, prove that the worship of San Geronimo is but an incident, and that the celebration is in reality but a continuation of the harvest festival and fair that was held annually in Mexico long before Cortes overthrew the great Aztec empire. Harvest fairs were held all over the empire, but the principal one was in the city of Mexico. The visitors there were estimated at from 40,000 to 50,000. The city swarmed with a motley crowd of strangers, the causeways were thronged, and the lake was darkened by canoes filled with traders flocking to the great tianguez. The most perfect order reigned throughout the vast assemblage. A court of twelve judges sat in one part of the tianguez, clothed with absolute power, and meted out summary punishment to all offenders.

Although the fiesta of San Geronimo and other Indian harvest festivals are of pagan origin, they are at least not tainted with greed and graft, as is so often the case with the fairs and festivals of their superior, enlightened, cultured and Christian palefaces. At the Indian "feeds" all who care to may share in the bounty of the tribes people. The Apache host may entertain a secret strong desire to "lift" his guest's scalp, but he would scorn to accept payment for his hospitality, unless he be utterly contaminated by association with a superior race. At the Indian festivals all may see what there is to see, and eat what there is to eat, without the expenditure of a cent. There are no ballyhoos, to call attention to a congress of Oriental dancers or a fair snake charmer, no raucous-voiced spielers to describe the charms of a fat lady or a dog-faced man. A few enterprising redskins who have assimilated the spirit of commercialism may be present and seek to induce the paleface visitor to invest in a Navajo blanket, a pair of moccasins or a jug, but these tradespeople are frowned upon by the majority of the Indians.

ARMY AVIATOR DIES.

London, Sept. 30.—Captain Bertrand Dickson, the English aviator, died last night. He was the first British army officer to fly in the army maneuvres. Just three years ago Captain Dickson collided with Aviator Thomas while flying at Milan. The machines became interlocked and fell nearly a thousand feet, both aviators being badly injured.

EASTERN CANADIAN LETTER

BY B. B. COOKE

A number of fairly important people in eastern Canada would rest much easier of nights if the Americans would leave their tariff alone and if President R. S. Gourlay, of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association would refrain from making suggestions for increasing the duty on woollen goods entering Canada. The public is treated to the curious spectacle of big manufacturers hiding behind freer trade arguments and pleading eloquently for the interests of the Canadian consumer. What makes the situation still more interesting is the fact that what the manufacturers say appears to be right, and it is not at all unlikely that the consumer and at least some of the manufacturers may be found one of these days fighting side by side against the lowering of the United States tariff on beef and wool for one thing and the raising of the Canadian import duty on woollens as Mr. Gourlay suggested.

The meat situation in eastern Canada threatens to become very serious. In spite of the fact that there is still a high duty against Canadian cattle entering the United States, thousands of head are being shipped from Ontario and Quebec to American cities, where they are being slaughtered and sold as dressed meat to the American market, which is so short of supplies that it pays almost any price for the meat, allowing the dealers an ample profit in spite of the high duty. These shipments are draining the stock yards in Toronto, and the price of beefsteak, to the Eastern Canadian householder at all events, is liable to rise at any moment.

"But," say the packing houses, "what is going to happen when the new American tariff comes into force this fall?"

Already, it is said, the agents of American meat interests are scouring the East for cattle to be delivered late in the fall—after the new tariff comes into effect. They are acting as representatives of Canadian houses in order to secure the cattle at current Canadian prices. This means, if it is true, that the East will be almost cleaned out of beef the moment the American tariff is reduced. The only means by which it can hope to feed itself is to meet the American price.

There is a tendency here to regard this as unfortunate not only for the Canadian consumer, but for the Canadian farmer and the Canadian packing houses as well. It is likely, however, that this attitude is due to the fact that the East, being mostly consumers, thinks what it likes to think. Certainly the Canadian consumer is going to pay more for his beef, for a time anyway; and certainly the Eastern packing houses will feel the rub. It is possible that the comparatively few Canadian herds now in existence may be depleted and the cattle raising industry damaged perhaps beyond repair. But there are still a few who side with the farmer, the man who will at least get more cash for his present assets, and who agree with him that the more money he gets for his steers the more likely he is to take greater interest in cattle. The government reports show that there has been a steady though perhaps small falling off in the herds of Canada.

One notable thing is that the increase in the price of beef will strike the more comfortable class of consumer and leave the working classes untouched. Packers explain that the butcher cannot charge more for the cheap cuts which the poor man buys, and that he must therefore raise the price, probably two to three cents per pound, on the better cuts of meat.

The great "cutting-up" trade in Canada, that is to say the wholesale clothing makers, are up in arms against Gourlay's suggestion that the woollen industry be given more protection. They point out that clothing makers have no protection and have built up a trade which is many times the size of the woollen trade in point of capital involved, numbers of employees, total wages paid and total output, etc. They say if the woollen industry is given any more protection they will have to raise the price of clothing and put in cheaper materials. "This," they urge, "would never be endured in the West." They point out that they have to pay thirty per cent. duty on most of their raw material and are only protected against foreign clothing makers by thirty per cent. This equalizes the conditions under which the trade works. If Gourlay's proposal becomes a petition to the government, the Canadian who buys ready-made clothes, or even custom-made clothes for that matter, need have little fear. All the influence of the "cutting-up" trade will be brought to bear upon Ottawa, and it is no small influence.

A Great Layman.

In church circles in the East, and particularly amongst the people who are interested in the war of the higher critics against the believers in a literal Bible, considerable feeling was roused by Hon. S. H. Blake's successful piece of manoeuvering in the Anglican Synod of Ontario the other day. Mr. Blake, in spite of the opposition of a great many disciples of higher criticism, succeeded in getting the synod to pass a motion reaffirming the position taken by the Church of England in Canada in 1864, when it declared its belief in the inspiration and divine authority of the Bible.

Hon. "Sam" Blake is probably the ablest lawyer in the Dominion, the dean of the legal profession, although of course he does not engage in active practice. In recent years this distinguished member of a distinguished family has devoted a great deal of his energy to writing and speaking against the higher critics. He may indeed be called the leader of all the lay forces in Canada which oppose the higher critics. As a lay member of what is called "the lower house" in the new synod of Ontario, Hon. S. H. Blake was present from the beginning to the end of the sittings. Not a resolution but underwent the keen criticism of his legal mind. When finally a clergyman introduced a resolution which indirectly supported higher criticism, the aged lawyer rose to his feet, pulled the resolution to pieces, and in its place offered the resolution confirming the literal Bible and condemning the critics. His impromptu address to the lower house was a thrilling piece of oratory. The sight of the fine old figure fighting against what he believed to be wrong was very impressive. This resolution was carried, although not without some sharp debating, and was confirmed in the singing of the Doxology. The latter episode caused Provost Mackiem, of Trinity College to inquire, not altogether without irony, "whether it was now to be the rule to sing the Doxology with the passing of every resolution?"

A Great Man's Death.

The death of James Ross, while widely lamented both for the splendid personal qualities of the man and for his genius as a man of commerce, did not create the disturbance in the Canadian business world which it might have caused had it occurred a few years ago. This great man, who came to Canada a more or less obscure railway engineer and was mixed up with several small roads in the East, has to his memory a monument in the shape of the Canadian Pacific railway line through the Rocky Mountains. He was the associate of Sir William Mackenzie in the forming of the Toronto Street Railway Company. He was interested with Mackenzie & Mann in the Winnipeg street railway and the Montreal street railway. It was he who built the line between Edmonton and Calgary, now owned by the C.P.R. His influence, some time ago, was to be felt in most of the business enterprises in the country, and in many outside of Canada. But of late years, owing to his failing health, he gradually withdrew from active business life, and in the last year lived almost entirely on one of his steam yachts. On this vessel he cruised the West Indies, then the Mediterranean, then off the south of England. Everywhere he was seeking health. Only about six weeks ago he returned to Montreal.

It is remarkable that such a great figure in Canadian life and a man who played so great a part in the completing of the C.P.R. should have been so little known to the people of Canada. He had many friends, but even they knew only the formal man. His few intimates did not divulge much of the many interesting comments he must have made upon the passing Canadian events. Newspaper writers have tried in vain to write "character sketches" of him. They have learned the bare facts of the man's life and something of his many good deeds, but, beyond that, little or nothing.

The fact that his death had so little effect on the affairs with which he was connected is of course chiefly due to his having withdrawn from active life, and it was also due to the erection of so many more parts in our business machinery that it no longer rests on the few distinguished shoulders that once supported so much of it. The day of the few great business minds is passing. There are now many. There are dozens among whom now to distribute the responsibilities which once James Ross carried.

Library Books

The following is a list of the new books received at the public library:

NATURAL SCIENCE.

Fabre, Jean Henri—Life of the spider. With a most unique and entertaining preface by Maurice Maeterlinck. 1912. 595.4-F12.
Holmes, Arthur—Age of the earth. 1913. 550.1-H79a.

USEFUL ARTS.

Allen, Charles L.—Cabbage and cauliflower. 1901. 635-A42ca.
Ash, Edwin—Nerves and the nervous. 1911. 613.8-A81ne.
Burritt, M. G.—Apple growing. 1912. 634-B97a.
Carens, Edith Marie—Dressmaking self-taught in twenty complete lessons. 1911. 646.42-C26.
Cosgrove, J. J.—Plumbing plans and specifications. 1910. 696-C85pl.
Haskins, C. W.—How to keep household accounts. A practical form of household economics. 1903. 647.1-H35ho.
Hoskin, Arthur Joseph—Business of mining. 1912. 622.2-H82.
Noyes, William—Wood and forest. For the use of manual training teachers and carpenters. 1912. 634.9-N95wo.
Pitman, Sir Isaac Sons Publishing Co.—Where to look; an easy guide to books of reference. 1912. Ref. 622.2-P68w.
Saleeby, Caleb Williams—Woman and womanhood. Sane, rational discussion of the woman problem from both hygienic and economic standpoint. 1912. 613.9-S16wo.
Rosenblum, Abraham—Advanced course in Pitman phonography. 1910. 653-R81.
Stitch in Time, by a Roosevelt Hospital nurse and a grateful patient. Another first aid book. 1912. 614.8-S86.
Tracy, William Woodbridge—Tomato culture. 1907. 635-T76to.

FINE ARTS.

Bevier, Isabel—House: its plan, decoration and care. The first volume of a library of home economics. 728-B57.
Cutter, Sarah J.—Conundrums, riddles, puzzles and games. 1894. 793-C99c.
Dallimore, W.—Holly, yew and box. 1908. 715-D14ho.
Darlington, H. R.—Roses. 716-D22r.
Grove, Sir George—Dictionary of music and musicians. The latest edition of the well-known work. 6 vol. 1910. Ref. 780.9-G88.
Hamilton, Cosmo—Short plays for small stages. 1911. 793-H21sh.
Hutchinson, U. C.—Children's plays, from old English fairy tales. 793-H97ch.
Munsell, Albert H.—Color notation. 1905. 750-M96c.

LITERATURE.

Bangs, John Kendrick—Coffee and repartee. 861-B21co.
Barker, Harley Granville—Three plays. Marrying of Anne Leete, Voysey Inheritance, Waste. 1909. 822-B25th.
Green, Thomas Hill—Estimates of the value and influence of works of fiction in modern times. 1914. 804-G79e.
Howells, William Dean—Heroines of fiction. 1901. 804-H85he.
Loti, Pierre—Carmen Sylva and sketches from the Orient. 1912. 834-L88ca.
Smith, Goldwin—Selection from Goldwin Smith's correspondence, comprising letters chiefly to an from his English friends written between the years 1846 and 1910, collected by his literary executor, Arnold Haultain. 1911. 851.5-S648.
Synge, John Millington—Playboy of the Western world. One of the newer dramas. 1907. 822-S99pl.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS.

Beard, D. C.—New ideas for American boys. 1909. J790-B36ne.
Gilbert, M.—Elementary French reader, or lessons and exercises in French pronunciation for use of American schools. 1867. J448.6-G44e.
Gilbert, M.—Second French reader for the use of American schools; Life of Robinson Crusoe, abridged, with colloquial exercises and key. 1867. J448.6-G44s.
Johnson, V. E.—Mechanics and some of its mysteries. 1912. J504-J17me.
Munroe, Kirk—Canoemates. J2-M968ca.

FOREIGN.

Vreeland, Williamson Updike, compiler—Anthology of French prose and poetry. 1910. Fr. 808.8-V97a.

FICTION.

Abbott, Lucy Thurston—Naomi of the island. 1912. 2-A132na.
Bartlett, Frederick Orin—Whippen. 1912. 2-B291wh.
Bell, John Joy—Kingdom of dreams. 1911. 2-B434ki.
Benson, Edward Frederick—Weaker vessel. 1913. 2-B474we.
Buchan, John—Moon endureth. An unusually well-written collection. 1912. 2-B919mo.
Henry, Stuart—Nets, scenes from Paris life. 2-H524ne.
Hichens, Robert—Way of ambition. 2-H626wa.
Klein, Charles—Magic Pepper. 1911. (Gift.) 2-K64ma.
Lynch, Bohun—Glamour. 2-L987gl.
Roberts, Charles George Douglas—Heart of the ancient wood. 1902. 2-R643he.
Vachell, Horace Annesley—Face of clay. 1906. 2-V118fa.
Wells, Herbert George—In the days of the comet. 1906. 2-W454in.

PHILOSOPHY.

Schopenhauer, Arthur—Basis of morality. 1840. 193.7-S37bs.
Wells, Herbert George—First and last things; a confession of faith and rule of life. Autobiographical, as Wells "turns analyst of his own mind." 1908. 104-W45fi.

RELIGION.

Brown, Arthur Judson—Foreign missionary; an incarnation of a world movement. A text book for the student contemplating going into the field; thoroughly sane and pre-eminently practical. 1907. 266-B87fo.
Burton, Margaret Ernestine — Notable women of modern China. 1912. 266-B97.
Eucken, Rudolf Christof—Religion and life. 1911. 201-E86re.
Huntington, Harwood—Cui bono, or what shall it profit? A gentle philosophy for those who doubt. 1912. 234-H96c.
Lloyd, Arthur—Creed of half Japan; historical sketches of Japanese Buddhism. 1911. 294-L79er.

SOCIOLOGY.

Carleton, William (pseud.)—New lives for old. A continuation of his "One Way Out." 1913. 331.8-C27ne.
Eckardt, Homer Mark Philip—Rational banking system; a comprehensive study of the advantages of the branch bank system. 1911. 332.1-E19r.
Hayden, Arthur Lincoln—Trooper police of Australia, a record of mounted police work in the Commonwealth from the earliest days of settlement to the present time. 351.7-H41t.
Huebner, Solomon S.—Property insurance; comprising fire and marine insurance, corporate surety bonding, title insurance and credit insurance. 1911. 368-H88p.
McGovern, Anna E.—Type lessons for primary teachers. 1905. 372.3-M14.
Wells, Herbert George—Modern Utopia. 1905. 320-H46mo.

GEOGRAPHY AND TRAVEL.

Butler, Sir William Francis—Wild North Land; the story of a winter journey with dogs across Northern North America. 917.1-B97wi.
Cosse, Edmund William—Two visits to Denmark, 1872, 1874. 914189-G671.
Hannay, James Owen—Lighter side of Irish life. 1911. 914.15-H241.
Mansfield, Milbury Francisco and Mansfield, Blanche McManus — Romantic Ireland. 1904. 914.15-M28.

BIOGRAPHY.

Fairbairn, James—Book of crests of the families of Great Britain and Ireland. Ref. 929.8-F16bo.
Mayne, Et. el Colburn—Byron, 2 vol. 1912. B-B996ma.
Napoleon Bonaparte, Masson, Frederic—Napoleon and his coronation. 1911. H-N216-ma.
Wilson, Woodrow—George Washington. 1896. B-W381w.

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EDWIN C. SMITH,
Treasurer and Collector.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 18, 1913.

City of Victoria

MUNICIPAL NOTICE

The "City of Victoria, British Columbia, Supplementary Waterworks Loan By-Law, 1913."

I hereby give notice that such of the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria as are entitled to vote on a by-law for raising money upon the credit of the Municipality, are requested to attend at the polling place known as the Police Court in the City Hall, in the said Municipality, on Thursday, the second day of October, 1913, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., and to record their votes for or against the passage of the "City of Victoria, British Columbia, Supplementary Loan By-Law, 1913," a copy of which By-Law is published in the Victoria Daily Times, and copies whereof are posted up at the City Hall, and in various other public places in the city, and at the Polling place.

And take notice that the said By-Law will not be valid, or of any effect, unless the vote polled in favor thereof be at least a majority of the votes polled.

Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, this eighteenth day of September, 1913.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Returning Officer.

TENDERS FOR FIBRE CONDUIT.

Sealed tenders will be received up to 4 P. M. on Monday, October 6th, 1913, for 19,000 feet of 3-inch Fibre Conduit. Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed, and marked on outside of envelope "Tenders for Fibre Conduit." A deposit in cash or a marked cheque made payable to the City Corporation for 5 per cent. of the amount of the tender, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
Purchasing Agent.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 24th, 1913.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

(All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.)

C. Scott, of Vancouver, is at the James Bay hotel.

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Henry Lohse, of Seattle, is staying at the Empress hotel.

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F. B. Rogers, of Toronto, is staying at the Empress hotel.

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G. V. Ogle is registered at the Dominion hotel from Hamwood.

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C. W. Peters is here from Duncan and is at the James Bay hotel.

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P. S. Small, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

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A. M. Phillips, of Toronto, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

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J. A. Robinson is registered at the Strathcona hotel from Vancouver.

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A. W. G. Wilson is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Ottawa.

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Arthur Gamewell is registered at the Empress hotel from San Francisco.

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W. Campbell is among the guests at the Dominion hotel from Penticton.

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Mrs. J. T. Martin, of Penticton, B. C., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mills.

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George Doherty is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Calgary.

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A. Hepworth, of London, England, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

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Mrs. Warner is here from Vancouver, a guest at the Westholme hotel.

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R. Hawkewood is here from Alert Bay, and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McMillan are staying at the Dominion hotel from Brandon.

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C. M. Blandy is in the city from Salt Spring island, and is registered at the Dominion hotel.

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Mrs. G. B. Harrison, of Seattle, is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

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W. H. Martin and A. Davidson are staying at the Dominion hotel from Sooke.

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Robert J. C. Stead is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Calgary.

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E. Elkins and Mrs. Elkins, of New York, are registered at the James Bay hotel.

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J. Stewart Moore and Howard Fry, of Duncan, are staying at the Empress hotel.

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R. E. Hart and Mrs. Hart, of Montreal, are registered at the Empress hotel.

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Miss M. Walsh is here from Vancouver, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

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Mrs. W. B. Jordan is staying at the Strathcona hotel while in the city from Vancouver.

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Miss E. G. Ferguson has arrived from New York City, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

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J. Burdis is a visitor in the city from Shawnigan lake. He is staying at the Westholme hotel.

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W. G. Chester is here from Vancouver, and is staying for a few days at the Empress hotel.

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F. D. Keeley, the well known financier of Lillooet, is staying for a few days at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Francis are here from London, England, and are staying at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stockton are here from Ottawa and are staying for a few days at the Empress hotel.

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E. C. Foot and Mrs. Foot have arrived from London, England, and are staying at the James Bay hotel.

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Mrs. James Hamilton, of Wistfort, Ont., and Mrs. Charles Hamilton, of Vancouver, are staying at the Empress hotel.

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Mrs. Peter J. Webb will receive for the first time at her home, 601 Cook street, on Thursday afternoon October 2, between 4 and 6.

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A. W. Wilson, of the department of mines, Ottawa, who was a member of the geological congress, returned to Victoria last evening.

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Hon. Price Ellison, minister of finance and agriculture, will officiate to-day at the opening of the provincial exhibition at New Westminster.

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E. E. Stockton, of the auditor-general's department at Ottawa, is in Victoria on a short vacation. He is accompanied by Mrs. Stockton.

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W. E. Scott, deputy minister of agriculture, and Professor W. T. McDonald, live stock commissioner, left the capital to-day to attend the New Westminster fair.

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Reeve Churchill, of Point Grey, was a visitor in the city yesterday to gather particulars regarding the proposed sale of certain lands in the vicinity of the municipality.

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The following people are staying at the Dominion hotel from Vancouver: L. Steven, E. Bennett, E. G. Henderson, A. R. Davis, Mrs. J. Davis, B. B. Goss, H. A. Porter, W. T. Jackson and A. E. Aitken.

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Masters Frank Rattenbury and Peter Mitchell-Innes, with their tutor, Mr. C. N. de Trafford, left last week on the Shidzuoka Maru for a trip round the world, after which they will enter Wellington school, England.

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The marriage took place on September 24, of Miss Harriett Alexina Blake, daughter of Captain and Mrs. Charles H. F. Blake, of 418 Bay street, this city, to John Unternaker, of Victoria, at the bishop's palace, Victoria, the Rev. Father McDonald officiating. The bride was supported by her sister, Miss Mary E. Blake and Mr. Henry Blake acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Unternaker will take up their residence in Victoria West.

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LADY CHURCHILL AS A STORY TELLER

Minister's Remarkable Mother Displays a Very Keen Sense of Humor

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Lady Randolph Churchill is one of those remarkable women who never grows old. Her energies have never dwindled, but to bear again the name that saw her through manifold enterprises inspires her afresh. She is the Lady Randolph who at any moment may do the great and surprising thing. And it is felt that some particular event will mark the resumption of a style that classes her with men of action, among them one, at any rate (the First Lord of the Navy), who learned the art of action at her knee.

Miss Jennie Jerome was well known in New York for beauty and a character before she adopted England as her own. And although she adopted England with more heartiness and conviction than do many imported Americans, she kept, and keeps something of the States both in her mind and manner. It was only an American member of the family who would have dared or cared to go round Blenheim for the fun of overhearing the remarks of the tourists. But set an American to catch an American. Lady Randolph disguised with an old cloak and a Baedeker, did do the tour of the picture galleries in the company of unwitting compatriots. "My, what poppy eyes these Churchills have got!" she heard a young woman from the West exclaim, after going the round of the family portraits.

LADY RANDOLPH CHURCHILL.

The Flowing Tongue.

As a hostess at innumerable dinners, she is a story-teller whose anecdotes generally hover round the board. It was at table, for instance, that she found out the real Disraeli. Once when she and he were discussing their departed friends, Lord Randolph mentioned as an instance of Disraeli's flowery language his refusal of more wine after the departure of the ladies. "My dear Randolph," he said, "I have sampled your excellent champagne, I have quenched my thirst with your good claret. I have sipped your sherry, I have tasted your delicious port; I will have no more." But Lady Randolph had sat next the great man, and noticed that he took nothing but weak brandy-and-water.

To another century, or nearly so, belongs her story of Mr. Bernard Shaw. She had asked him to lunch; at the last moment his refusal came by telegram: "Certainly not. What have I done to provoke such an attack on my well-known habit?" To which the lady answered, in another telegram: "Know nothing of your habits. Hope they are not as bad as your manners." That was five minutes before lunch; and Lady Randolph enjoyed her entree all the more for having hit back. She enjoyed, too, the receipt the next morning of a long letter in the neat spider-leg script that looks apologetic even when, as is more often the case, it carries messages of assault and battery. "G. B. S." explained that his habit was to eat at home, because at other people's houses he was always offered "unfortunate dead animals and things," and was so forced to leave the table hungry.

A Drop in the Field.

If Lady Randolph's best stories are old, she herself is to blame. Even her book contains a few of them—her book which, if it followed the ordinary rule of Reminiscences, would contain none of the things worth telling. "Why should I not tell all that I can?" she asked in her Preface; and although "all that can" be told by a living writer of living people must amount to very little, she ably manages to avoid the inanities that fill the pages of some books of society recollections that we know. And she is amusing. She herself is responsible for the story of her accident in the hunting field, when she disappeared in a ditch, and seemed to the riders behind to have fallen under her horse. Among them happened to be her husband, but we must allow her to finish the anecdote in her own words. "Randolph, coming up and thinking I was badly hurt, seized my flask and, in the excitement of the moment, emptied it. The joke was that I had the fall and he the whisky."

Anybody who has watched at close quarters an election that meant much to Lady Randolph knows her power. In Northwest Manchester the man with a vote soon learned that he had to cope, not, first of all, with the speeches of this or that candidate, but with a most notorious canvasser. It was a case, if ever there was one, of votes for a woman, and her irresistible persuasions. All parties and persons have known her strength, private and public. And if Mr. Balfour goes to the promenade concerts in her company, it is because he respects her musical opinions no less than her politics. The "Ring" she has done in the company of the elect; and the little gold pig on her watch-chain is the somewhat unexpected token of King Edward's respect.—London Sketch.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 30.—5 a. m.—The barometer remains abnormally high over this province and fine weather is general, with moderate winds along the Coast. The weather also remains fine in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fine and cold at night.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fine and cold at night.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.36; temperature, 42; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, 44; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.30; temperature, 32; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 38; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, part cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, 8 miles S.; weather, part cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday:

Temperature.

Highest	65
Lowest	47
Average	56

Bright sunshine, 5 hours 30 minutes.

General state of weather, fair.

Toronto, Sept. 30.—After taking seven years to build his home on Belford Park avenue, in York township, A. Thomas returned from a visit to the city with his family, and all that remained of the house was the smouldering ruins and a few charred sticks of furniture. The house had been struck by a bolt of lightning and had taken fire.

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Mrs. A. B.: Rub a little pyroxin on eyebrows and they will come in thick and have a beautiful gloss. Your short eyelashes will grow long and delightfully curly merely by applying pyroxin at lash-roots with thumb and forefinger. Be very careful not to get pyroxin where no hair is wanted.

Betty: That dry, unhealthy state of your hair is probably due to improper washing. Maybe you use soap? Avoid it and try only this simple, safe shampoo. Get some canthrox from your druggist and stir one teaspoonful in hot water. This is plenty for one washing. It leaves the hair as soft as silk and extremely fluffy. It dries quickly and removes not only dirt, but greasiness. Perhaps you need a little tonic to brace the whole system. For this see answer to Theo.

Theo: Indeed, you must not neglect that tired, depressed feeling, which is accompanied with a pimply condition of the face. They are caused by sluggish blood which is not properly eliminating the poisons from the system. Try this blood purifier and tonic. Into ½ pint alcohol (whisky must not be used) pour 1 ounce kardene, then add ½ cupful sugar and hot water to make a full quart. Take 1 tablespoonful of this old-fashioned blood cleanser and tonic before each meal. This is splendid for that weak, worn feeling and restores the kidneys to normal action and the blood to a healthy condition. Its timely use will save much serious sickness.

Cornelia: You are having your troubles, certainly, if you are "very fleshy" and yet want to wear the latest styles. Have you ever heard of this sure and simple means of reduction? Dissolve 4 ounces of parnotis in 1½ pints warm water and take a tablespoonful a few minutes before meals. It is harmless and yet very effective and does the work so naturally as to leave no sagging or wrinkled tissues. It has the added advantage of requiring no strictness in diet or exercise.

Lulu: You can easily stop that dandruff and your hair from falling out if you will use a good tonic twice a week. Here is a splendid old remedy which costs little and which you can prepare at home. Mix together one ounce quinzoin, ½ pint alcohol and ½ pint water. Rub it well into the scalp two or three times a week. It is invigorating to the hair roots, encourages a luxuriant, soft growth, and affords immediate relief from the itching scalp. Be sure to rub it into the roots.

Lucy: Instead of clogging up the pores of my skin with face powder, I use this recipe in which I find a very dependable lotion, protecting, softening and beautifying the skin. Get 4 ounces spurmax from the druggist, and dissolve in ½ pint hot water. Add 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine. Apply freely to your face, neck and arms. It will not rub off, and gives an attractive, velvety fairness without that "made-up" look. This is inexpensive, too.

Gertrude: You will find it a simple matter to clear the eyes of redness and restore the youthful sparkle and color if you will use this eye-tonic which can be easily prepared at home. Just get an ounce of crystos at any drug store and dissolve it in a pint of water. Put 2 drops in each eye daily. It acts like magic to give back the beauty and it feels mighty good, too. If this does not give relief see an oculist.

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SOOKE LAKE WATERWORKS.

To the Editor:—I read an editorial upon the Sooke Lake Waterworks in one of your contemporaries a few days ago, and I think it is deserving of notice as being the first reference I have seen in the press to the extreme importance of letting the contracts for the concrete pipe line and the steel pipe line to local firms, provided they can show they have the technical skill and financial resources necessary to complete the work expeditiously and satisfactorily.

With the advent of winter it is probable that there will be a large number of unemployed workmen in this city, and if these contracts are given to Vancouver and Seattle firms respectively the position will be greatly aggravated. The council has recently been advertising for property which can be leased for a long term and which it proposes to sub-let at moderate rentals for factory sites. If the council is sincere in prosecuting this policy, surely it should make a beginning by spending as much as possible of the ratepayers' money with local firms, who provide the sinews of war, and thus encourage firms now established on the mainland to open branches at Victoria. Can anyone cite an instance in which the Vancouver municipality has let a contract to a Victoria firm?

I hope those who are asked to provide the large sum required for completing Sooke Lake waterworks will make their voices heard on this matter before polling day.

G. GRANT.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 29, 1913.

AGAINST THE BY-LAW.

To the Editor: The financial statement in connection with the Sooke water by-law which is just now made public should afford interesting reading to the taxpayers of this city. It will well repay all interested in the future of the city to read, learn, mark and inwardly digest this statement, for it tells a story of misrepresentation or incompetency, or something worse, in certain quarters, which should cause the taxpayers to hesitate long before voting any further large sums of money for this enterprise, until there is a change of government, so to speak, at the city hall.

For example, this statement tells us that when the original by-law for the construction of the Sooke lake water scheme was passed "the amount estimated for land was $200,000."

Now we are gravely told that the "total amount for land will be $738,116.35, or $538,116.35 more than the original estimate. In other words, when the people were being "roped in" to support the Sooke scheme on the first vote, it was represented to them that the land required in connection with the scheme would cost $200,000. Now we learn that this estimate was $538,116.35 too small. Either through ignorance or with malice aforethought that item of the probable cost was grossly underestimated, and thus the people were misled to that extent.

But of this total of $738,116.35 for land in connection with the scheme, it appears from this statement that $304,089.50 is for land "to be acquired from the E. & N. Railway Company."

Is this another estimated value, and will it in the end prove to be as wildly astray as the original estimate?

When the contract with the Westholme Lumber Company was submitted to the people for their approval, which was really the vote that fixed the Sooke scheme finally and irrevocably upon the city, it was represented to the taxpayers that the cost of bringing the Sooke water to the city was to be $1,167,000. Over and over again the present mayor declared at his meetings at the close of 1911: "I am going to bring the Sooke water into the city for $1,167,000." And the people who voted for that contract were led to believe that that was all it was going to cost. Thus for the second time and on the occasion of the second vote the ratepayers were grossly misled.

After being solemnly assured that the cost of bringing the water from Sooke was to be $1,167,000 we are now given a statement asking for an "amount to complete present contract, $1,170,000."

That is, we are now asked to vote to "complete present contract" the sum of $1,170,000, an amount larger than the original contract, after nearly a million dollars have been spent in connection with the scheme.

What confidence can we have now that the $1,500,000 asked for will complete the work? Judging by past estimates and solemn assurance what may we expect?

If the people had been correctly informed at the outset as to the actual cost of this scheme, as they had a right to expect from their officials, if they had been told at the start that the Sooke scheme would probably cost between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000, it is not at all likely that they would have voted their approval of it. But they were led into the scheme, one step at a time, either through ignorance or wilful misrepresentation on the part of those leading, until now they are told that they must see the thing through at any cost.

No government that had so systematically humbugged the people could hold office any longer than it would take to pass a want of confidence motion condemning it. The taxpayers of this city cannot so summarily dispose of the men who have so repeatedly misled them, but they have now a good chance of showing their want of confidence in that kind of leadership by defeating this by-law on Thursday. Later, under new management, after the whole subject of the future water supply of the city has been carefully studied from every point of view, we should be in a position to decide as to what would be the wisest course to pursue. This by-law is an emergency vote, being rushed through in hot haste, to save the skins of the few individuals who railroaded the city through misrepresentation and without proper information, into this Sooke scheme.

I agree entirely with Alderman McNeil, that before anything further is done we should first ascertain the price at which we could buy the Goldstream works.

The financial statement issued by the mayor and finance committee contains this item: "Cash on hand, $400,000." This, if true, means that there is $400,000 yet unexpended of the proceeds of the last Sooke by-law. Now I am not sure that it would not be better to take that $400,000, put with it the $1,500,000 we are asked to vote, and use the money to buy the Esquimalt property, rather than to put the whole $1,900,000 into the Sooke scheme, just at present. By doing this we would save the $30,000 the city is now paying the Esquimalt company yearly for water, and we would acquire as an asset the net income the company is now receiving, amounting to $52,000 a year.

If we did that we would not be losing $75,000 a year for fifty years, as Mr. McDiarmid erroneously states, because $400,000 of that Sooke loan would be going into this scheme. That would mean a loss of only $55,000 a year, but in losing it we gain $52,000, the company's net income. Besides, it would not involve a loss of the $55,000 for fifty years, for we would no doubt need to complete the Sooke scheme in the course of a few years. Before it is completed, if we should acquire the other property now, we should secure the co-operation and financial backing of the outside municipalities.

This by-law, as I understand it, contains an item of $500,000 for purchasing a large area of land forming the watershed of a river tributary to Sooke lake. I do not believe we need that watershed. Water flowing that distance will purify itself, especially where it stands for a time in Sooke lake, Humpback reservoir and the Smith's Hill reservoir. No city in the east, at least none of which I have any knowledge, owns the entire watershed from which it derives its water supply.

But we may be told we must go on with this contract in order to be in a position to collect the $300,000 from the guarantee company. Our chance of getting $300,000 from a guarantee company out of this wretchedly managed business is about as remote as the chance most of us have of being translated.

I have voted against the Sooke scheme every time it has been submitted to the ratepayers. I shall do so this time even though mine be the only vote recorded against it.

F. ANDREWS.

Victoria, Sept, 29.

GIVE BRITONS PREFERENCE.

To the Editor:—Now the voting on the Sooke Water Works By-Law is to take place very soon, I would like to know from some one if British subjects and residents of the city would be given work this winter on the waterworks in preference to foreigners if the by-law passes. No doubt there will be a great number of unemployed this winter, and if the ratepayers are not given preference on the said work, they will be like me vote against it. I venture to say at the present time if I wanted a pick and shovel job I would be refused, so what use will the by-law be to the ratepayers who will be out of work, if things are not different than at the present time? It surprises me that some of our business people don't take the matter up. It is as much to their benefit as it is to the laborers. It would be better for the whole city if citizens were given the work; they would keep the money in circulation here, whereas the foreigners only spend what it takes to keep them in board, then send the remainder away. Some of them wouldn't even buy a shirt here, so what does it matter to us if the by-law is defeated? I also want to state the work would be completed just as good and cheap with British labor as with foreign labor.

I remain,

W. E. BRYAN.
2642 Scott Street.

WATER QUESTION.

To the Editor:—The statement to the public on the Sooke water by-law has at last appeared, but unfortunately it very much resembles the statement to the public issued over the signature of James L. Raymur, water commissioner, dated January 4, 1912, from which I quote the following:

"The people have already authorized an expenditure of $1,500,000; and it is not expected that this amount will be materially exceeded. A contract has been signed for the sum of $1,169,720, and allowing the same amount for all land as fixed by the company (Esquimalt Waterworks Co.) $200,000, there is still left a margin for an excess in quantities over the specification; these quantities are not haphazard guesses, but are the results of actual surveys. The heaviest items of expenditure, such as pipe lines, buildings, clearing of land, etc., are a known quantity and will not be exceeded."

In the statement now published in your paper the statement is again made that "a contract was made with the Westholme Lumber Company, Ltd., to do the necessary construction work for the delivery of sixteen million gallons of water daily at the price of $1,169,170. The contract was submitted to and approved by the electors." The question is, "Why was this approved?" The answer is that the people were led to believe that the whole work would be finished for $1,500,000, that is $1,169,170 for construction work and $200,000 for land; total, $1,369,170.

The statement that a contract was let to the Westholme Company for $1,169,170 is wrong, and the publishers of that statement know, or should know, that it is wrong. The public were led to believe that this sum covered the whole contract, but it did nothing of the kind, as the contract, instead of being let for a fixed sum, was made up of various schedules, each containing several items, the contractors being paid for so much per cubic yard, or other unit, the sum of $1,169,170 being the amount computed from bills of quantities supplied by Mr. Wynn Meredith, which have been since found to be entirely wrong, in fact, some items, such as the earth excavation on concrete pipe line, being exceeded by three hundred per cent. Mr. Meredith estimated 26,500 cubic yards of earth excavation necessary, whereas the city have paid the Westholme Company for over 101,000 cubic yards. This is only one item, and there are others.

Whilst dealing with the Westholme contract, I notice in the statement that it says "The performance of the contract is guaranteed by bond of the United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company in the amount of the contract price." Question: What is the use of the bond? The answer is that the city have so managed this affair that the bond is useless.

Although Alderman MacNeill put a very useful motion through the council which referred the plans and specifications back to the city solicitor, with power to get expert advice, I am sorry that the alderman did not see that the reports submitted to the council covered all called for in his motion. If he had done so, he would, without doubt, have saved the taxpayers' money; as it is, we are still hobbling in the dark.

Why do not the officials of the city who drew up this public statement state the whole truth? The statement says:

"In April of this year the Westholme Lumber Company (which company under their contract should have completed 65 per cent. of the work) abandoned their contract, having finished only 38½ per cent. The corporation of the city of Victoria, acting through their water commissioner, then took possession, and have since been carrying out the work by day labor." This is a "white lie," in that it is partly true but misleading.

Is it not a fact that the city found itself without finances and could not pay the Westholme Company, and then, as the city had failed in its half of the contract, the Westholme Company brought action, not particularly because of the city's embarrassment, but because the entire contract had been so altered and was still being altered that they could not possibly carry on the work to advantage? Is it known to the citizens, business men and taxpayers that the city's consulting engineer and water commissioner did not supply the final drawing for the pressure pipe line until January this year, over a year after the contract was signed, and is it also known that the entire work has been altered and changed since the contract was let, because the city supplied drawings to the original tenderers which were entirely wrong and that the city made these drawings part of the Westholme contract? It is time to halt and demand the truth.

Now, with reference to the financial portion of the statement, dealing with the cost per thousand gallons of water delivered from Sooke, this is wrong and misleading, and I only call attention to it so that taxpayers may read it when I believe the most inexperienced can see the misrepresentation if he has followed the matter.

I would, however, mention that the cost per 1,000 gallons delivered is based only upon the borrowed money, sinking fund, and interest, without any mention of maintenance. When one considers that the present small system costs over $73,000 per annum for maintenance, it would be well to consider something under this head for the Sooke scheme.

There are many other features in this financial statement which appear deceptive, but there is one which will particularly appeal to Alderman Humber and the majority of taxpayers, viz., how much is the engineering costing? Alderman Humber in council was told by Mr. Wynn Meredith that the engineering was costing over $3,500 per month. I ask how much over?

By taking the financial statement we deduct the following figures:

Land at Sooke Lake and Humpback and right-of-way	$ 359,026.85
Cash in hand (this same amount has been published for months)	400,000.00
Paid the Westholme Lumber Co. (from city documents)	457,689.33
Total accounted for	$1,216,716.18
Amount borrowed on by-law	$1,500,000.00
Above total	1,216,716.18
Balance not accounted for	$283,283.82

Now, as engineering expenses are not accounted for in this statement, it can only be surmised that the engineering up to date has cost the city $283,283.82. If that is not the case, what has become of this money?

Under Mr. Wynn Meredith's agreement with the city he receives $1,000 per month, and 5 per cent. of all accounts going through his office—that is, salaries for engineers and assistants, draughtsmen and clerks employed by the city for his use. Mr. Meredith out of this remuneration pays one resident engineer. Now is it not a fact that the 5 per cent. allowed Mr. Meredith in salaries, etc., is nearly sufficient to pay his representative here, or, in other words, we keep Mr. Meredith in sunny California (except about three days per three months) and allow him nearly a thousand dollars per month clear? Is this sanity?

Now just a few more words before I close. Alderman Cuthbert has been doing excellent work in bringing to the notice of Victoria workingmen taxpayers that they are not getting a fair deal. How is it that all the engineers except one and all the superintendents of work are American citizens? We have Victorians who are capable of performing any engineering work and superintending any work required on the Sooke scheme, but, no, our manhood is insulted and we are now asked to vote for another $1,500,000. My advice is, vote it down, until we can get a change of administration on this work. Visit the work and see the waste—ask Alderman Humber.

In conclusion, Mr. Editor, having had time to study this matter, I can see nothing but the loss of a large law suit which will take up at least one-half of the $1,500,000 now asked for, and my advice to the taxpayers is to vote against this further borrowing until we have cleaned our house of those who caused the misrepresentations which passed the by-law in 1912, and I will further say that when a community has not got confidence in itself and its members, it must expect to shrink and not expand. This waterworks could have been designed and constructed by residents of Victoria, who would have been here and could have been held in some way responsible for the misrepresentation of facts which has characterized the whole proceedings.

J. G. ELLIOTT.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 29, 1913.

B. C. ELECTRIC CO.'S FARES.

To the Editor:—Will you permit me through the columns of your valuable paper to add to the suggestion of your correspondent of last Saturday, in which he advocates forming a company to operate a line of motor busses to compete with the B. C. Electric Ry. Co., Ltd. I think the idea a good one, and if handled by competent business men should be a success, not only in forming the company, but also in its operation, as there is no doubt that the majority of the patrons of the B. C. Electric Ry. Co., Ltd., feel that the company are imposing on them in advancing their fares so enormously, without apparently much justification.

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Ferguson, Thomas Roberts, K. C. (Winnipeg); born, Cookstown, Ont., 1864; lawyer and prominent Conservative.

Foster, Charles Beverly (Montreal); born, Kingston, N. B., 1871; general passenger agent of C. P. R. at Montreal after having filled executive positions at St. John, Toronto, Vancouver and Winnipeg.

Gill, Robert (Ottawa); born, Dundas, Ont., 1851; manager of Ottawa branch of Canadian Bank of Commerce, 1887-1911.

Houlgate, Robert Kerr (Vancouver); born, Whitehaven, Eng., 1868; manager of Yorkshire Guarantee & Securities Corporation.

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Mignault, Pierre Basile, M. A., LL.D., K. C., F. R. S. C. (Montreal); born, Worcester, Mass., 1854; prominent barrister and legal author.

Price, Caryl Ap Rhys (Vancouver); born, Madras, India, 1876; served in Mashonaland campaign and in Boer war in South Africa; now in private business.

Rorie, George (Vancouver); born, Edinburgh, Scotland, 1868; accountant and soldier.

Rowley, Charles Walsh (Winnipeg); born, Yarmouth, N. S., 1869; with Canadian Bank of Commerce since 1887; now manager at Winnipeg; was manager at Calgary, 1902-1911.

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Lord Roberts was born in Cawnpore, India, eighty-one years ago today, the son of General Sir Abraham Roberts. He was educated at Eton, Sandhurst and Addiscombe, and entered the service in 1851 as second lieutenant of Bengal artillery. He served with distinction in the Indian mutiny, taking part in the siege and capture of Delhi, and was severely wounded. Since his first baptism of blood he has taken part in the Abyssinian war of 1868, the Afghan war of 1878, and the South African war, besides holding many important commands in time of peace. As the commander-in-chief in the war against the Boers he relieved Kimberley, took Commandant Cronje and the western army prisoners, and brought the conflict to a speedy close.

Lord Roberts's only son lost his life while heroically endeavoring to save the British field batteries at Colenso "under a hurricane of leaden hail." Parliament passed a special act permitting Lord Roberts to wear his son's Victoria Cross, so "Bobs" is the only man who may pin on two such decorations. Of the six children of Lord and Lady Roberts, only two survive—Lady Eileen, who is now forty-three and unmarried, and Lady Edwina, who became the bride last February of Major Henry Lewin. Should the latter have a son, he will inherit the title of his distinguished grandfather.

Wilton Lackaye, the actor, is a Virginian by birth, and will begin his fiftieth year to-day. His earliest ambition was to shine as a legal luminary, but while studying law in Washington he became interested in amateur theatricals, and soon graduated onto the professional stage. He made his bow thirty years ago with Lawrence Barrett, in "Francesca da Rimini," and later as Salarino in "The Merchant of Venice." In the years that followed he appeared with Fanny Davenport, Minnie Maddern, Rose Coghlan and other stars. Last winter he appeared in "Fine Feathers" with Miss Coghlan and Robert Edeson.

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COMFORTABLE housekeeping rooms, bath, 136 Princess avenue. o14

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FURNISHED housekeeping rooms. 343 Michigan street. o13

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MONEY TO LOAN.

TO LOAN—I have $7,000, $15,000, and $20,000 amounts to loan on inside improved revenue-producing property, business or residence. Send full particulars to P. O. Box 1479. o1

MONEY TO LOAN—Amounts of $20,000, $5,000, $4,000, $3,000, and $2,000, at current rate of interest. Must be improved property. See us at once. Dalby & Lawson, 615 Fort street. s30

MONEY TO LOAN—On first or second mortgages. Agreements for sale discounted. Apply Kenneth Ferguson, 208 Belmont Bldg. a18 tf

APARTMENTS FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two nice, new 3-room flats, all modern; rent $18.00. See us for these and anything else you want to rent. William A. Cole, The Rent Man. Open evenings till 9. 524 Sayward Bldg. o1

TO LET—Suite of three rooms and bath, pleasant view, gas range, etc. Vacant first of month; $27.50. J. B. Watson Realty Co., 114 Belmont Block. Phone 4626. o1

NICE, FURNISHED APARTMENT, 2 rooms, kitchen and private bathroom; furniture for sale, very reasonable, all new; exceptionally low rent. Phone 4618R. o1

FLAT TO RENT—3 rooms, modern, partly furnished, $25 per month. Address 1312 Gladstone avenue. Phone 4261R. o2

NEWLY FURNISHED, steam heated housekeeping apartments; hot and cold water in every room. 2914 Douglas, "The Belwil." o8

FOR RENT—Modern flat, new, close in; rent moderate. 32 Boyd street, James Bay. s29

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Unfurnished.)

TO RENT—5-room bungalow, unfurnished or part furnished, 1 1-4 miles out, close to car. Good locality. Phone 3412. o1

TO LET—4-room house, bathroom and pantry, large lot and garage, Hamley street, $30 month. Apply 424 Moss street. o3

TO RENT—By Nov. 1, a 6 roomed, modern bungalow, every convenience and close to car. Phone 3604L. s30

TO RENT—New, modern, seven roomed house; furnace, all conveniences, close in. Apply owner, 1815 Belmont avenue, or Phone 4705R. s30

TO RENT—A new 6-room residence, at $40 month, for a year. Stinson, Weston & Pearce. s30

TO RENT, SOMETHING VERY CHOICE—Six-room new house, hot water heat, rent $35, Hillside; two in Fairfield, new houses, six rooms, with garage, $40; new 7-room bungalow, with furnace, fireplace, telephone and water, $38, near car and sea. We have a good memorandum of houses, flats and suites of housekeeping rooms, furnished and unfurnished. See us and save time. William A. Cole, the rent man, 524 Sayward Bldg. Telephone 1897. Open evenings till 9. s30

FOR RENT—New, modern, 7-room house, $30 per month. Apply 2914 Fernwood road. s30

FOR RENT—7 roomed house, Duchess St., $33 a month. Northwest Real Estate Co., corner Pandora and Douglas St. s30

$15 MONTHLY—4 roomed cottage, Davies, Inlet avenue, next Gorge road. o22

HAULTAIN STREET—A nice small house, close to Mt. Tolmie avenue car, $23. Apply "Chisamba Ranch," R. M. D. 5, Royal Oak. o1

TO RENT—Nicely located 8 roomed house, on car line; rent reasonable to a good tenant. Apply Phone P3028. jy8 tf

FURNISHED two-roomed cabins to rent. Apply Stokes' Pool Rooms, Esquimalt Rd. o4

FOR RENT—HOUSES (Furnished.)

COTTAGE TO RENT—Willows beach, 5 rooms, close to car, partly furnished, $15. Apply Munday's Shoe Store, Government street. o1

FURNISHED, cosy cottage; $25 month, inclusive. 2341 Hulton St., off Fort. o4

HOUSE TO RENT—Furnished in every detail, also garage, on Fort street, near St. Charles. Phone 1560 or 2533. s30

TO LET—8-roomed, furnished house. Apply Jones, photographer, Esquimalt. s30

FURNISHED house to let. 655 Niagara St. o3

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

OFFICE—One room office in Times Building. Apply at Times Office.

TO RENT—Stores and flats in good suburban district; good opportunity for a grocer. Eight-room house on Monterey avenue, Oak Bay, rent $35. Morris & Edwards, 415 Sayward. Phone 2074. s9 tf

ROOMS AND BOARD.

ROOMS AND BOARD—The "Bon Accord," 845 Princess avenue. First-class room and board; terms moderate. Phone L2857. o29

"AVOCA" BOARDING HOUSE—Beautifully situated and new, with all modern conveniences, near car and park; terms moderate. Phone 1695L. o23

ROOM AND BOARD, 36 Menzies St. o19

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Situated on Bank street, one block south of Oak Bay avenue carline, new and well-built bungalow, containing drawingroom with open fireplace, diningroom with built-in buffet, Dutch kitchen, two bedrooms, full basement with splendid hot air furnace, laundry trays, sewers, etc. Electric light fixtures, blinds, linoleum in kitchen and bathroom. The workmanship throughout is of the best. Price reasonable and terms easy. For further particulars and card of admission, apply to

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FOR SALE—LOTS.

MR. WORKINGMAN—Lakeside will interest you. Did you ever consider the possibilities of an acre of deep, rich soil, close in, within easy reach of your work? Choice quarter, half and full acre lots, all cleared, in this beautiful subdivision, at ridiculously low prices and on terms that will enable you to make them pay for themselves. This is the first proposition of its kind to be placed on the market in Victoria. If you wish to solve the high cost of living problem, ask us to show you Lakeside. Open evenings. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort St. Phone 1610. o4

51x165 FT. LOT for $800, no rock and some fruit trees, splendid view. Savannah avenue, near Cloverdale; usual terms. See The City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street. o1

WORKMEN—Secure a homesite in Lakeside, on the main Saanich road, close in. Large, quarter, one-third and full acre lots, from $450 up. Small cash payment, balance over 3 years. Positively the cheapest property in the city. Open evenings. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort St. Phone 1610. o4

NORTH HAMPSHIRE ROAD—Lot 42x151, between Oak Bay avenue and Cranmore street; $295 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months; $1,575. The City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street. o1

GIVEN AWAY—2 lots, 50x130 each, 3 minutes from Wilkinson station, 21 fruit trees on one, the other in grass; price $650 and $450, have paid $260 off; will sell my equity for $200; a snap for somebody. No agents. Address owner, P. O. Box 302. o1

ALBERNI—Two good lots for sale cheap. Owner, P. O. Box 1414. o2

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

WATERFRONT HOME—Nicely treed, new house of 8 rooms, private bay, 4 miles from city, no rock, good concrete walled, never failing well; price $8,000. This is the best buy on the market, as the property is well protected from the north winds, and enjoys splendid anchorage. Phone 1500 or 2533. s30

CLOSE IN—Only one block from Parliament Buildings, a nice new home going for 3 days only at $4,200, on easy terms. Apply G. S. Leighton, Campbell Bldg., 1025 Douglas street. s30

MAGNIFICENT HOME—One acre, nicely treed, fine view, a $25,000 house, the whole going at a sacrifice. Apply G. S. Leighton, Campbell Bldg. Phone 1500 or 2533. s30

FOR SALE—Bungalow, 5 rooms, on lot 50x140; $200 cash; near Marigold station; terms. Box 5384, Times. o3

FOR SALE—Modern 4-room bungalow, 3-4 mile circle; $2750, $300 cash, balance arranged. Apply 2583 Graham St. o4

LET MONEY MAKE MONEY—Two 4-room houses, on full size lot, 3-4 mile city; $2500; rented $30 monthly. Box 5404 Times. o1

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

A MODERN 5-room bungalow, 1722 Lee Ave., on lot 60x120; price $4500, only $300 cash, balance $20 per month. W. B. Revercomb, 1907 Belmont avenue. Phone 4425R. o4

$750 CASH, balance arranged, buys a new, 6-room house at Oak Bay, full cellar, furnace, 2 toilets, everything modern; lot 50x125; price $4,750. See The City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street. "Homes our specialty." o1

$800 CASH, balance $75 quarterly, buys a new, 5-room bungalow, cement foundation, piped for furnace, etc., lot 50x112 to lane; price $4,200. The City Brokerage, 1319 Douglas street. "Homes our specialty." o1

OWNERS ONLY—Five roomed, modern bungalow, off Fort street; $300 deposit, monthly payments. Owner, Box 5414, Times. o1

HOMESEEKERS—A dandy little cottage, located on large lot, 5 minutes from Gorge car, house just built and nicely finished, lot 51x140; the best buy in small homes we have had this year. Note the price, $1,475, on your own terms. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 635 Fort. o6

NO INTEREST — Two cottages, 4 rooms, close car, $400 cash, $25 month. McGregor & Co., 731 1-2 Fort St. o2

FOR SALE—ACREAGE.

FOR SALE—Fine chicken ranch at an enormous reduction until Monday noon. Apply G. S. Leighton, Campbell Bldg. Phone 1500. s30

500 ACRES, 1½ miles from Cowichan station, $55 per acre, or will trade for city property. Box 5191, Times. o2

A BIG LIST of all classes of land for sale. We cannot publish a full list, too large. If you want any kind of acreage, see us for real bargains. Malet & Company, fourth floor, Central Building. o6

PENDER ISLAND—Bedwell Harbor, 8 acres, 660 ft. waterfront, $1,200. Phone 4209. o2

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—American billiard table; no reasonable offer refused. Room 10, 1008 Government street. o2

WANTED—Girl for general house work, about 13; sleep at home. Apply Mrs. Riley, corner Tolmie avenue and Glasgow street. o6

ROOM AND BOARD, 2121 Sayward Ave. o6

FURNISHED HOUSE to rent, 7 rooms, fully modern, furnace heated. Apply Crompton & Barton, 108 Union Bank Building. o2

TO RENT—5-room cottage, 2 minutes from car, Phoenix street, Victoria West. W. T., 652 Fisguard street. Phone 932. o2

TWO FRONT ROOMS to let, with use of bath. Apply 215 Beachwood Ave., Fowl Bay, close to car and sea. Also tent to let to young man batching, or couple. o2

COMFORTABLE ROOMS, $2 per week. 331 Niagara street. o6

FURNISHED housekeeping room, gas. 1104 Yates street. o31

FOR SALE—Boston terrier, female, one year old, seal brindle, nicely marked; registered. Box 5446, Times. o2

MARINE ENGINE, 4 h. p. Ailsa Craig, 4-cycle, Bosch magneto, etc., new last July, $250; owner getting 8 h. p., same make. Motor Boat Exchange, 218 Belleville street. o2

WANTED—Gentleman to share room with another, separate bed, full board, home comforts, centrally located. Phone 3976L. o13

PIANO PUPILS wanted, 75c. per hour. Box 5447, Times. o13

DEED to two lots, North Vancouver, for a number one single turnout. Address Dr. Roberts, C. & C. Stables, Victoria. o6

LOST—Gold watch and pin, Monday, lady's open face Waltham, initials G. H. E. Reward. Return Times Office. o2

FOR SALE—Furniture of 9-room house, suitable for boarding house, snap, close in. Apply Box 9456, Times. o6

PIANO, thoroughly taught by teacher holding first-class honors in final exam. in Toronto College Music; terms moderate. Apply Box 5389, Times. o6

WE WILL BUY 5 shares Phoenix Brewery, 25 shares B. C. Life. Maysmith & Co., Ltd., Stock Brokers, 406 Union Bank Bldg. s30

GROCERY BUSINESS at invoice price. Splendid chance; fine location. McGregor & Co., 731 1-2 Fort St.

HOUSES TO RENT — Camosun St., $30; Douglas St., $22.50. McGregor & Co., 731 1-2 Fort St. o2

FREE RENT AND FOOD — James Bay house, 6 rooms, 4 rented, furniture at offer. Quadra St., 8 rooms, housekeeping, all rented, furniture cheap. McGregor & Co., 731 1-2 Fort St. o2

FOR RENT—Nice front bedroom, ground floor; also one up-stairs; close in, very moderate price to desirable party. 1202 Vancouver St., cor. View. o2

FOR RENT—New house, 7 rooms, with furnace and all modern improvements, near Gorge Rd. and new Burnside school. Phone 1469. A. Johns, 252 Gorge Rd. o6

FOR SALE—Cheap, light bay standard-bred mare. Phone 1272R. o6

FRONT ROOM with board, suitable for 2 or married couple. 918 Cook St., Phone 1939R. a6

FOR SALE — Ladies' bike, nearly new. Apply Box 5468, Times. o2

TO LOAN—$400 on good security. Apply Box 5469, Times. o2

WANTED—Capable girl for light housekeeping in small family. Apply between 7 and 9 p. m., 1526 Clive Drive, Oak Bay. Phone 3655R2. o2

WANTED—Girl for work of bungalow, little plain cooking and washing. 4218L. o2

LARGE FRONT BEDROOM, clean, in private family, no children, near car. 2203 Fernwood Rd. o6

BOARD AND ROOM — 1011 McClure St. o31

HOUSEKEEPING ROOM, suitable two or more men. 1038 Fort St. o6

FOR RENT—Four roomed flat, modern, gas if desired (gas range for sale). 788 Hillside Ave. o6

ATTEMPTED DERAILMENT

Authorities in Strike Zone Put on Guard by Finding Logs Across Train Track.

Great pains are being taken by the police and military authorities in the coal mine strike zone to protect the right-of-way of the railways. Only last Friday an officer on patrol discovered a number of ties pulled across the switch between the Esquimalt & Nanaimo line and the Canadian Collieries' private line at Ladysmith. There was a fish plate in the switch, too, and the freight train, which was expected along shortly with some cars for the Canadian Collieries would have run into this switch and been derailed. The logs were discovered about 2 o'clock in the morning and the tracks were cleared just in time to let the train through safely. The police are following what clues were left to the identity of the perpetrators.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

RANGE STOVE, showcase, 1038 Fort. o6

AGREEMENT FOR SALE—$1,900; equity $1,000, payable 6 and 12 months. What offers? Phone 2804R. o2

FOR RENT—New 7 roomed house, with garage, buffet, fireplace, furnace, two toilets, cement basement, close to Fort St. car, rent $40 on lease, with option of purchase. Apply 1915 Duchess St., cor. Fort. o2

WANTED—Girl as general servant. Apply Box 9515, Times. o2

NOTICE TO CONTRACTOR — Tenders wanted for building residence. Call after 5 p. m. for plans. 616 Sayward Bldg. o2

TO LET—Pandora Ave., 12 room house, $50, good order, good location. Party can sublet lower 5 rooms as a flat, and 3 rooms on top floor separate or en suite. Foxgord, Phone 4703L.

FOR RENT—7 room modern house on Phoenix St., close to car, $30 per month. Apply to D. Lewis, Room B, Campbell Bldg. Phone 1299. o2

BABY CARRIAGE (English) for sale, good condition, $15. 2820 Blackwood St. Phone 3928 L. o2

YOUNG MAN seeks position driving auto, any kind. Watts, 1414 Quadra St. o2

HAVE YOUR ROOF painted with E. & A. fire-proof paint. Repairing done also. Phone 1978, or call at 846 Courtney St. o31

SHACK TO RENT—Two rooms, electric light, double floor, newly papered, rent $10 per month. Apply 1325 George St., off Moss. o2

WE HAVE CLIENTS who wish to obtain mortgages on properties which would give lender a 50 to 70 per cent. cover. Sums required from $1,000 to $50,000 at 7 1-2 to 9 per cent. Agreements of sale listed. Particulars, 212 Belmont Bldg., or Phone 3843. o6

6-ROOMED MODERN bungalow, Hillside Ave., $32.50 a month. Bagshawe & Co. o6

DR. ERIC PERKINS has returned to the city and may be consulted at his office, 202-3 Campbell Bldg. o7

WANTED—By elderly gentleman (no children), housekeeper. Apply Box 5432, Times. o2

EXPERIENCED CASHIER, manicurist or private exchange. Phone 4147. o2

"SUPERIOR" PRINTING is superior. Corner Broad and Johnson Sts. Phone 2509. s30

MR. JAMES TRETHEWEY, A.G.S.M., London, Eng., solo violinist and teacher, will accept concert engagements and pupils. Communications, Dunsmuir Rooms, Fort street. Telephone 4637O. o3

FURNITURE for sale of a 2-room apartment, private bath, electric, steam heat, gas range; rent reasonable. Parkway Apts., corner Cook and Pandora. Suite I. Phone 4883. o2

YOUNG LADY wants care of child by day. Box 5434, Times. o6

MAKE YOUR BEER AT HOME—Finest sparkling lager made in 5 minutes, 25 cents a gallon. Particulars free. Pacific Coast Agencies. See above. c30tf

FOR SALE—Fresh calved Jersey cow and calf. Can be seen at Bray's Stables, Johnson St., Wednesday. o2

FOR EXCHANGE — New and modern bungalow, 7 rooms, on large lot, 50x135, price $7,000. Owner will give clear deed to this property in exchange for acreage not over $8,500. "Dunfords," 311 Union Bank Bldg. o2

FOR EXCHANGE — Three large lots, nearly an acre, corner property, on the three-mile circle, on main road, 200 yards from station, value $2,500. Will take automobile up to $1,500 as first payment, 6, 12, 18 and 24 months for the balance. "DUNFORD'S," 311 Union Bank Bldg. o2

LOOK FOR THE SIGN, "Printing," cor. Broad and Johnson Sts. Phone 2509. s30

TO RENT—One modern suite, containing 3 rooms, bathroom and pantry, well heated, and close to beach and park; a snap at $35 per month. Apply Linden Grocery, Linden Ave. and May St. o6

ROOM AND BOARD—$7.00; ten minutes P. O. 121 Menzies St. Phone 4240 R. o30

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, 5 minutes from P. O. 428 Helmcken, James Bay, near Government o2

NURSING.

MRS. E. SUMMERFIELD, maternity nurse, has moved to 1226 North Park street. Phone 4352L. o31

NOVELTIES.

COMPLETE BATH in every home, hot in 5 minutes. No running water or plumbing required. $9.50. Pacific Coast Agencies, 1 Law Chambers, Bastion St. s30tf

BORN.

CROMPTON—On September 29, to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Crompton, 1294 Mitchell street, a son.

OLD-TIMER LAID TO REST THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral Services of the Late W. J. Pendray Take Place at Metropolitan Church

A very large concourse of friends and admirers of one of Victoria's most esteemed old-timers assembled at the Metropolitan Methodist church at 3 o'clock this afternoon to pay their last tribute to the memory of the late W. J. Pendray, whose remains were laid to rest at Ross Bay cemetery later in the day. A short service took place at the family residence, Belleville street, at 2.30, the whole staff of about 125 employees from the British-America Paint Company marching in a body to the house, and joining the funeral cortege to the church, afterwards going out in procession to the cemetery to witness the last sad rites.

Rev. Dr. Scott, who conducted the impressive service, spoke sympathetically and with profound sincerity from the text, "Thy will be done," while among the hymns sung were "Asleep in Jesus," "Rock of Ages" and "Jesu, Lover of My Soul." Mr. Parsons was at the organ and played the solemn Funeral March by Chopin and the Dead March from Saul, while the choir gave a beautiful rendering of Dr. Bridges' "Crossing the Bar."

Many and beautiful flowers surrounded the casket, these being tributes from the numerous friends of the deceased all over the Dominion; some coming from Calgary, Edmonton, Vancouver and other distant places. A handsome floral design from the employees of the business of which he was for so many years the head was conspicuous among the offerings, and there were hundreds of sprays and wreaths from personal intimates and old acquaintances.

The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. J. H. Baker, A. Lee, W. H. Eurkholder, L. Goodacre, F. Norris and P. R. Brown.

The procession which followed the remains to the cemetery, where a short commital service was held, was very large, and testified to the deep esteem in which the late founder of one of the biggest concerns in the Island was held by both employees and a wide circle of friends.

MEETINGS

Mass Meeting.—A mass meeting of the citizens for the purpose of discussing the increase in the fares of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company is to be held as a result of the decision of the city council last evening.

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Address About China.—The Bishop of Columbia will give an address on China in the cathedral schoolroom at three o'clock on Thursday afternoon. Although primarily for the members of the Woman's Auxiliary, any interested in missions will be welcomed.

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To Aid Aged Women.—The annual tea and sale of work are to be held at the Aged Women's Home on the afternoon and evening of October 14 and the afternoon of October 15. Cut flowers, plants and home-made candies are to be on sale as well as the articles on the work table.

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New Year of Synagogue.—Special services in celebration of the New Year are to be held in Emmanuel Synagogue, corner of Pandora avenue and Blanchard street, to-morrow morning at 8 and Thursday morning at 9.30, Rev. Dr. Friedlander officiating. Seats may be reserved on application to A. Lancaster, Army and Navy Clothing store, 780 Johnson street.

BRINGS NEW SPECIMENS

W. J. Kermode Returns From North With His Finds for the Provincial Museum Yet to Be Examined.

W. J. Kermode, curator of the provincial museum, returned to the city this morning after a four weeks' absence in the Atlin district for the purpose of collecting further specimens of the fauna in that region to add to the collection which is being prepared for the new museum rooms to be opened in the course of the next two or three years at the parliament buildings.

Mr. Kermode went first to Atlin, accompanied by one assistant and an Indian guide, and from that point went down to the south end of Atlin lake, some distance up Pike river, William's creek, and other tributary streams. He also visited Baker lake, and added to his collection some of the fish from the various waters he traversed as well as specimens of the birds, mammals, and insects in their neighborhood. These were packed up and sent away as soon as they were caught, and the greater work of classifying and analyzing them remains still to be done, and will be part of the curator's work during the next few months.

"Some of the specimens are new to me," admitted Mr. Kermode in an interview this morning with the Times. "As yet I have not had time to classify them, and shall not know what they are until I do so. In the case of some of the birds bagged, they are variations of forms already known to be in Alaska, but not previously known by me to be in British Columbia. The Alaska jay, for instance, the Northern Spruce partridge, and a number of smaller birds. We have been collecting zoological specimens of all kinds, however, and our capture includes several goats and bears, small mammals, and insects, and fish from Atlin lake."

The little party was unfortunate in encountering unusually wet weather for the time of year, added to which they suffered from a pest of flies. The weather was not cold, however.

At Cariboo Crossing the party met a Mr. Bumstead and his wife, of Chicago, who had been hunting up in the Yukon, and had evidently had great success, their bag including several cariboo and some large sheep. Apart from these hunters, however, they met scarcely anyone who was bent on game-shooting.

Mr. Kermode's collection has not yet been removed from the dock, and it will not be for some days yet, after he has had leisure to work out the exact identity of his specimens, that he will be able to give a detailed list of the fauna taken by the party during their tour in the North.

PROPOSE MOTOR-BUS LINE IN VICTORIA

Company Being Formed to Sell Shares at $10 and Fares at 2 to 5 Cents

A motor omnibus line, in which every citizen of Victoria may be a shareholder, which will charge fares varying from two to five cents a ride, and which will build its own cars in this city, is the proposal which a number of prominent business men of this city will endeavor to carry through. T. Edward Clark, of the Commercial Investment Company, has been appointed secretary of the infant corporation by the dozen or so men who have banded together in the enterprise and every man who has the slightest interest in the relief of the present traffic conditions is being asked to call at his office, 307 Pemberton building.

Mr. Clark says the company will have a capital of $500,000 divided into 50,000 shares of $10 each. He expects that the incorporation will be announced in the next issue of the Gazette and that the prospectus will be issued in a few days afterwards.

The object of having the denomination of the shares so low, Mr. Clark states, is in order that every average man, every working man may have a share or two in the concern. Not only do the promoters expect that this will make it easier to sell the stock, but they believe it will have a tendency to cause the people to make a point of always using the omnibuses. Pains will be taken, according to the secretary, to see that the stock is not sold in too large blocks in order that the company's strong point may be the personal interest in its welfare of as many citizens as possible. It is proposed, while the stock is being sold, to call on only $2.50. No more money will be required, Mr. Clark says, until the manufactured articles are delivered for use in the streets of Victoria.

Steps are being taken to have all but the first batch of busses manufactured here, the secretary stated today. An English manufacturer has been consulted already and has given advice upon the probable cost of putting up a factory here and manufacturing the busses and their parts.

"Thus the concern will not only consist of Victoria capital, but will employ Victoria labor in its production, instead of sending away for the cars," said Mr. Clark.

"The fares will be on a zone basis. Two cents will probably be the minimum, and nowhere within the limits of the districts reached by the B. C. Electric lines will the fare be more than five cents. A franchise will not be necessary for the line and there will be no infringement of existing franchises, the promoters are informed by their legal adviser," Mr. Clark stated.

ASK ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Country Club May Be Indicted Before Grand Jury on Race Gambling Charge.

Under the law relating to the regulation of betting at race-tracks the company or organization permitting the operation of the books or betting devices is liable, rather than the men who actually operate the machines. Accordingly it is understood that while evidence was procured yesterday afternoon by two private detectives of the operating of the pari-mutuel machines at the Willows these men will not be summonsed as expected. It is believed that the information will instead be presented to the attorney-general with the request that he instruct the prosecutor to present an indictment against the Victoria Country Club to the grand jury. Just what steps to this end will be taken is not known, but the fact that the assizes are now sitting makes this probability all the greater.

DOWN FOR BANQUET

Mr. Brewster Returns From Tofino to Attend Complimentary Dinner in Vancouver.

H. C. Brewster, the provincial Liberal leader, has returned to Victoria from Clayoquot Sound, and will leave shortly for Vancouver to attend the big banquet arranged in his honor by the Vancouver Liberals on Friday.

Mr. Brewster has not been able to make public addresses since the convention at Revelstoke on account of business claims, and therefore an expression on political questions at the present time will be particularly opportune.

Being Deported to Australia.—H. B. Holmes, to whom the attention of the public was attracted a short time ago when Mayor Morley, to give him an opportunity of making a living in this city, found him a stall in the market, is expected to leave shortly for Australia again. The market stall has not been a success and arrangements are now in progress between the immigration officials and the city health department for the purpose of having him sent back to Australia on R. M. S. Makura. As the Makura sails in a month's time, the period will give sufficient time for the papers to be handled.

CANADA COULD DO MOST FOR PEACE

Dr. W. Evans Darby, Secretary of Peace Society, Addresses Canadian Club

SAYS UNITED STATES HINDERS ARBITRATION

Peace is Greatest Development in National Life Declares Speaker

"I believe Canada could do more for the peace of the world than any other nation, young or old, in existence," said Dr. Darby, the secretary of the Peace Society, in the course of an admirable address before the Canadian Club this afternoon.

The ostensible designation of the speech, as stated in the opening remarks of President Perry, was "The Hague Conference and its Significance," but Dr. Darby found time to treat of the broader issues of peace which lie at the very heart of the objects aimed at by the society in which he occupies so prominent a position.

"Peace," he stated, "is the farthest point in the development of national life," and in this respect he ridiculed the old-time worn idea that "in time of peace nations should prepare for war."

Among the many ideas which the distinguished pacifist elaborated during the course of his address perhaps the chief was a definite way in which Canadians could further the great end which was aimed at by all.

"If you want," he said earnestly, "to help your empire and the world; if you desire to help those in authority better to solve the financial troubles which encumber them and to accomplish a great deal of what is sought for in the proposed erection of more ships for the British navy—which will require further amplification in another five years, and again and again—the one way you can do it is to induce the British government to secure the immunity of private property at sea. I am sure that this course would do far more to preserve and keep the best interests of the British nation than huge increases in the expenditure on armaments."

A somewhat scathing indictment on the part that is being played by the United States in international affairs followed an explanation by Dr. Darby of the drawbacks in the arbitration treaty signed by the two governments.

"Whatever," said Dr. Darby, "may be said to the contrary, and in spite of the outpourings of glowing rhetoric on the subject, and in spite of what the newspapers have said, the United States blocks the way in the direction of the promotion of arbitration."

Developing his theme of arbitration the peace secretary went on to prove that arbitration was not a new thing, though some of its developments might be. The last century was the great era of arbitration, and it was in 1898 that the Czar of Russia's invitation was issued to the nations to frame a system of arbitration proceedings, to attempt (in the words of the royal edict) "to check the upward march of armaments."

As a result of the work of Nicholas II., a permanent court of arbitration, with its seat at The Hague, had been established. A series of elaborate rules had been consummated for the appointment of an umpire, and a list of names of arbitrators had been drawn up.

The latest result of the work had been the Palace of Peace, mostly the outcome of Mr. Carnegie's generosity, at the opening of which Dr. Darby had the honor to present the bust of King Edward, the Peacemaker.

"No one of our times," said the peace secretary this afternoon, "more deserves the name of Peacemaker than our late King. I speak from what I know.

"Our present King," he continued, "shortly after his elevation to the throne, declared that he would follow in his father's footsteps, particularly as they led in the paths of peace. Not only has he kept his promise but also bids fair to rival his illustrious father's claim as a Peacemaker among the nations."

That the procedure of arbitration has been developed as fully and carried as far as in the nature of things can possibly be done is the deliberate judgment of Dr. Darby. The work accomplished in the second Hague conference was as complete as it may be. The essence of arbitration, he declared, was mutual agreement, and in this direction he said definitely.

"I do not know of a single instance among all the arbitrations during the last century in which the award has ever been repudiated. Once or twice the decisions have been questions and afterwards revised."

He pointed out that this latter state was but akin to the court of appeal in civil cases.

Eight nations had adopted the system of unlimited arbitration; that is every question which could not be settled by diplomacy was submitted to the conference. These nations had gone the whole way. The others had only gone part of it. They withheld in cases of national honor, vital interest, etc.

Dr. Darby's speech was listened to with great interest by a fairly large attendance, among whom were included R. W. Perry, president of the club; Hon. William Templeman, Bishop Roper, Rev. Leslie Clay, Rev. J. G. Inkster, J. A. Mara and many others.

Clerk at Work Again—City Clerk Dowler returned to duty to-day at noon, immediately upon receipt of the formal notice of his re-instatement by the city council last evening.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Boston—	R.	H.	E.
New York	0	7	2
Boston	8	15	0

Batteries—Fromme, Schupp and Hartley; Tyler and Rariden.

At Philadelphia— First game	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	9	10	6
Philadelphia	10	14	4

Batteries—Ragan and McCarthy, Fischer; Rixey, Chalmers, Marshall and Dooin, Burns.

Second game	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	3	12	0
Philadelphia	1	3	0

Batteries—Walker and Fisher; Camnitz, Finneran and Killifer, Burns.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At New York— First game	R.	H.	E.
Boston	3	12	1
New York	2	6	1

Batteries—Leonard and Cady; Ford, Schultz and Sweeney, Reynolds.

Second game	R.	H.	E.
Boston	3	11	0
New York	0	2	3

Batteries—Moseley and Thomas; McHale and Reynolds.

At Washington—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	0	4	3
Washington	3	7	2

Ayers and Henry.

Batteries—Boardman and Gelbel; Ayers and Henry.

NEW WESTMINSTER FAIR.

New Westminster, Sept. 29.—In the presence of the largest crowd that has ever attended an opening here the provincial exhibition was declared open by Hon. Price Ellison this afternoon. The exhibits surpass all records in number and quality.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of Emma S. Griffiths, who died on Saturday, will take place to-morrow from St. Mary's church, Oak Bay, at 3.15, where the Rev. G. H. Andrews will conduct the service.

The funeral of the late Emma Haviland took place at 10 o'clock this morning from the Victoria Undertaking Parlors, Rev. J. P. Hauch officiating. There was a large attendance of friends and numerous floral tributes were sent.

The funeral of the late John Joseph O'Connell took place this afternoon from the Victoria Undertaking Parlors to the Roman Catholic Cathedral, where Father Silver conducted mass.

The funeral of the late Edward Stevenson took place on Saturday afternoon from his sister's residence, 423 Helmcken street, Rev. J. S. Sutherland officiating. There were many floral tributes, and a large attendance of friends. The pallbearers were: R. De Hovell, W. W. Grime, W. Wilson, H. H. Brown, A. R. Wolfenden, G. S. Brown.

LOCAL NEWS

Falls From Wagon.—A teamster, Alexander by name, while engaged in fuel deliveries on Fort street, fell this afternoon and required medical treatment at Dr. Bapty's office. Subsequently he was sent on to the Royal Jubilee hospital for Roentgen ray examination. It is stated his nose is badly injured.

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Victoria Girl Composes Waltz.—A delightfully tuneful and catchy waltz entitled "The Maori's Dream" has been composed by Miss Violet Bridgewater, of this city, and dedicated to the captain and officers of H. M. S. New Zealand in commemoration of their visit to Victoria last August. The work should prove popular, and will, no doubt, be heard often during the coming winter months. Miss Bridgewater shows considerable originality in her composition.

The Dickens Club

Will hold their first meeting this season to-morrow, Wednesday, Oct. 1, at the residence of Mrs. Lort, 706 Cook street, 8 p. m. Business to be brought forward will be: Reorganization for the winter season, 1913-14, and proposed lecture on Dickens Localities, with magic lantern views. All lovers of Dickens invited.

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PURSUANT to a Judgment of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, Liverpool District, made in the matter of the estate of Richard Williams Janion, deceased, and in an action, Lancaster v. Janion (1913, Letter J., No. 1159), the creditors of Richard Williams Janion, formerly of Liverpool and late of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, in Canada, who died on or about the 31st day of December, 1888, at San Francisco, in the United States of America, are, on or before the 11th day of November, 1913, to send by post prepaid to Mr. George William Allen, a member of the firm of Whitley & Co., 41 Castle street, in the City of Liverpool, England, the Solicitor for Charles Lancaster, the surviving executor of the deceased, their Christian and surname, addresses and descriptions, and in the case of firms the names of the partners and the style or title of the firm, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the security (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Judgment. Every Creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of the Liverpool District at his Chambers, situate at No. 9 Cook street, in the City of Liverpool, on the 14th day of November, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.

Dated the 12th day of September, 1913.

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NOTICE.

Saanich Municipality.

Anyone wishing to secure a permit to shoot in Saanich must apply in person at the Municipal Office, Royal Oak, and present his Provincial License, together with signed permission to shoot over farm land from the owner of same.

Description of the Boundaries of that part of Saanich Municipality in which it shall be illegal to discharge Firearms under the Amended Firearms By-law.

Commencing at the intersection of the limits of the Municipality of South Saanich on Harriet Road with the tidal limits of the Municipality in Portage Inlet, thence following the Municipal limits Easterly and Southerly and Northerly to Gorden Head Road, thence following Gorden Head Road Northerly to Ruby Road, thence following Ruby Road Westerly to Cedar Hill Road, thence following Cedar Hill Road Southerly to Cedar Hill Cross Road, thence following Cedar Hill Cross Road Northwesterly to Saanich Road, thence following Saanich Road Southerly to Mackenzie Avenue, thence following Mackenzie Avenue Westerly to Carey Road, thence northwesterly following Hyacinth Avenue to Blackwood Road, thence following Blackwood Road and the production thereof Southerly to Portage Inlet, thence following Portage Inlet Southerly and Westerly to the point of commencement at Harriet Road.

Also, that portion of Saanich Municipality lying to the East and South of Cadboro Bay Road, Maynard Street and Telegraph Bay Road.

By order

J. R. CARMICHAEL,
C. M. C.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

In the Matter of the Victoria Syndicate Doing Business at 404 Sayward Building.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership existing between C. W. Holden and S. B. Johnston is dissolved, and the firm's business will hereafter be conducted until further notice by C. W. Holden, who will assume all liabilities and to whom all accounts are payable.

Creditors of the firm please present all bills before thirty days.

(Signed) C. W. HOLDEN.
S. B. JOHNSTON.

Witness, C. F. WOOD.
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 15, 1913.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Wallace, Late of Metchosin District in the Province of British Columbia.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 23rd day of October, 1913.

Dated this 23rd day of September, A.D. 1913.

YATES & JAY,
416-7 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitors for the Administrator.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Hendry, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of September, 1913.

Dated this 28th day of August, A.D. 1913.

YATES & JAY,
416-7 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitors for the Executors.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of George Herd, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 3rd of October, 1913.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 1913.

YATES & JAY,
Solicitors for the Executrix,
416-7 Central Building, Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Korsak, Late of the Municipality of Esquimalt, British Columbia.

All persons having claims against the above estate are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 11th day of October, 1913, after which date the Executor will proceed to distribute the said estate according to law, with regard only to such claims of which he shall then have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 18th day of September, 1913.

McPHILLIPS & TAIT,
Of Davie Chambers, 545 Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the Executor.

HIGH PRICES PREVAIL IN RAW FUR MARKET

The weekly market report on hides and wool issued by John Hallam, Limited, Toronto, says:

—Beefhides are firm and coming to market in large supply, and are being absorbed at current prices. As the leather market shows a slightly better feeling tanners are showing a little more interest. City butcher hides flat, 13½c. to 15c. per lb.; inspected hides, No. 1 12½c., No. 2 12c.; country hides flat, cured 13½c. to 14½c., part cured 13 to 13½c.

Calfskins hold their own, with slight accumulation in hands of the dealers. City skins, green, flat, 16c.; country, cured 17c. to 19c., part cured 17c., according to condition and take-off; deacons or bob calf $1 to $1.50.

Horsehides are of better quality with heavier deliveries. City take-off, $3.50 to $4; country take-off, No. 1 $3.50 to $4, No. 2 $2.50 to $3.50.

Sheepskins are in slow demand owing to the easy wool market. City lambskins, pelts or shearlings, 40c. to 55c.; country lambskins or shearlings, 25c. to 50c.

Wool is being taken at unchanged prices, although the market is slow and draggy, owing to the mills being well stocked and the fact that the U. S. tariff on this article is unsettled. Washed combing fleece (coarse), 25c. to 25½c.; washed clothing fleece (fine), 26½c. to 27c.; washed rejections (burry, chaffy, etc.), 19c. to 19½c.; unwashed fleece combing (coarse), 16c. to 16½c.; unwashed fleece clothing (fine), 17½c. to 17½c.

Tallow prices are easier, and stocks are accumulating. City rendered solid in barrels, 6c. to 6½c.; country stock, solid in barrels, No. 1 5½c. to 6c., No. 2 5c. to 5½c.; cake, No. 1 6½c. to 6¾c., No. 2 5½c. to 6c.

Horse hair, farmer or pedler stock is coming to market in normal supply and is being absorbed at unchanged prices. Farmer pedler stock, 36c. to 40c.

Old rubbers, junk, etc., is absorbed as fast as received at full quotations. Rubber boots and shoes, according to trim, 7½c. to 8½c.; auto tires, 7c. to 8½c.; bicycle tires, 3c. to 4c.; lead, heavy, 3½c. to 4c.; tea lead, 2½c. to 3½c.; brass, heavy, 9c. to 10c., light, 6c. to 7c.; copper, heavy, 11c. to 12c., light, 10c. to 10½c.; zinc, 2½c. to 4c.

Raw furs.—The outlook for the coming raw fur season is for the maintenance of the high prices which have prevailed for the past two years. Comparatively small stocks are in hands of the dealers.

METAL MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 30.—Lead steady, $4.75 offered; in London, £20 5s. Spelter quiet, $5.65@5.70; in London, £20 17s. 6d. Copper dull; standard spot and October, $15.400@$16.37; November and December, $15.400@$16.30; electrolytic, $16.75@$16.87; lake, $17; casting, $16.62@$16.75. Tin weak; spot to November, $40.75@$41.25. Antimony dull, Cookson's, $8.30. Iron quiet and unchanged.

London markets closed as follows: Copper easy; spot £72 7s. 6d.; futures, £72 5s. Tin easy; spot, £188; futures, £188 5s. Iron, Cleveland, 54s. 7d.

CRUISER AURORA LAUNCHED.

Devonport, Eng., Sept. 30.—The Aurora, a light cruiser of an entirely new type, was launched here to-day and added to the British navy. She is described by Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the Admiralty, as a "destroyer of destroyers." The vessel displaces 3,500 tons and was designed for a speed of 30 knots. She is to use fuel for motive power.

Financial News

ACTION OF PRICES WAS SPASMODIC TO-DAY

Early Irregularity Yields to General Weakness Throughout the List

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Sept. 30.—Some irregularity was witnessed round the opening of the session, and further liquidation of long stock was seen.

London was buying the coppers, and the activity of copper warrants there helped the market in the shares. Consumers complain of inability of getting deliveries from producers which is creating some fresh bullishness throughout the copper list.

Steel had a further decline, but did not go below 60 at first, and thence rallied on buying by leading interests and covering by the short element. Selling again became prevalent after, and the whole list had a weak appearance at the close.

Germany is reported as bidding 6 1-2 per cent. for 30 and 60 day funds and some concern is exhibited as to the outcome of settlements in that quarter.

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Alaska	23	22¾	22¾
Amal. Copper	74¾	73¾	73¾
Amn. Beet Sugar	26	25	25
Amn. Can.	33¾	32¾	32¾
Amn. Car. & Foundry	44¼	44	43
Amn. Ice Securities	23½	23	23
Amn. Smelting	66¾	65¼	65¾
Amn. Sugar	111	109	109¾
Amn. Tobacco	240	237½	237
Anaconda	37¼	36¾	36¾
Atchison	94¾	94¼	94¼
B. & O.	94¾	93¾	93¾
B. R. T.	89¼	88¾	88¾
C. P. R.	230¼	228¼	228¼
Central Leather	22¼	22	21
C. & O.	58¼	57¼	57¼
C. M. & St. P.	106	104¾	104¼
Colo. Fuel & Iron	29¼	28¾	29
Con. Gas	132¾	132¾	132
Distillers Sec.	13¼	13	12¾
Erie	29	24¾	28
Do. 1st pref.	46¼	46	45¼
Do. 2nd pref.	26	26	25
Goodrich	27¼	27	27
G. N., pref.	132¾	132¾	132¾
G. N. Ore ctfs.	34¾	34¼	34¼
Illinois Cent.	110¾	110¼	110¾
Inter-Metro.	15¼	15¼	15¼
Do., pref.	63¼	61¼	61½
L. & N.	134¾	134¼	135¾
Lehigh Valley	156¼	155¼	155¼
Mex. Petro.	68¼	65¾	65¾
New Haven	89	88	88
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	133¼	132¾	133¼
M., K. & T.	21¼	21	21
Nat. Biscuit	125	123¾	123¾
Nat. Lead	45¼	44¾	44¼
Nev. Cons.	16¼	16¼	16
N. Y. C.	95¼	95¼	95¼
N. Y., O. & W.	29¼	29	29
N. & W.	105	104¾	104¾
N. P.	112¾	111¾	111¾
Pacific Mail	21	20¾	20¾
Pennsylvania	112¾	112¾	112
People's Gas	128¼	126¾	127¼
Railway Steel Spg.	25¼	25	25
Reading	168¼	166¼	166¼
Rep. Iron & Steel	21¼	21	20¾
Do., pref.	86	85	84
Rock Island	15	14¾	14¾
Do., pref.	23¼	23	22¾
S. P.	91¼	90¾	90¾
Sou. Railway	22¼	21	22¼
Do., pref.	79¼	79	79
Tenn. Copper	31¼	31¼	31
Texas Pacific	15¼	15	15
U. P.	159¾	156¼	157¼
U. S. Rubber	63	62	62
U. S. Realty	59	58	57
U. S. Steel	60¾	58¾	58¾
Do., pref.	109	108	108
Utah Copper	52	51	51¼
Va. Car. Chem.	29¼	29	28¾
Wabash	4	3¾	3¾
Do., pref.	11¼	11¼	11¼
Westinghouse	68¾	68¼	68¼
Granby (Boston)	73¼	71¼	71¼
Money on call	3	2½	2½

Total sales, 446,600 shares.

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TORONTO STOCKS.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
B. C. Packers, com.	146½	149
Canada Cem., com.	34¼	34½
Do., pref.	92½	93½
Can. Gen. Electric	..	114
Can. Mach., com.	..	60
Can. Loco., com.	47	..
Do., pref.	..	92
City Dairy, com.	..	102
Do., pref.	98	..
Consumers Gas	..	180
Detroit United	..	72
Dom. Canners	66½	69½
Do., pref.	..	98
Dom. Steel Corp.	45	45½
Dom. Telegraph	..	100
Maple Leaf, com.	..	42
Do., pref.	93½	95
Monarch, com.	..	75
Do., pref.	90	..
Penman's, com.	..	54
Do., pref.	81	..
Porto Rico Railway	..	63
R. & O. Nav.	112	..
Rogers, com.	145	146
Do., pref.	103½	..
Steel of Can., pref.	25	..
Toronto Paper	75	78½
Toronto Railway	138½	..
Twin City, com.	106½	..
Brazil	92½	92½

Mines.

Coniagas	720	725
Crown Reserve	150	160
La Rose	223	225
Nipissing Mines	8.90	9.00
Hollinger	1725	1750

Banks.

Commerce	206	206½
Dominion	222	223
Hamilton	200	..
Imperial	213	214
Molsons	193	..
Nova Scotia	196	..
Ottawa	203	..
Royal	219	..
Standard	212	..
Toronto	233	..

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NEW YORK COTTON.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Sept. 30.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	13.60	13.60	13.50	13.51-52
March	13.65	13.66	13.54	13.54-56
May	13.72	13.73	13.61	13.61-62
July	13.64	13.64	13.52	13.52-54
Oct.	13.90	13.91	13.76	13.75-76
Dec.	13.76	13.77	13.65	13.65-66

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MONTREAL STOCKS.

Montreal, Sept. 30.—The stock market was much stronger to-day, the tone all around being better and a great improvement was noted. Macdonald was buoyant and rose 2 points to 24. Spanish River also showed a marked improvement at 15½ on the strength of the announcement of improved financing arrangements. C. P. R. was 230; Dominion Iron, 46; Toronto Rails, 44, up 4 points; and Brazilian, 93.

CANADA WEST TRUST DREW STRONG SUPPORT

Improved Bidding in Portland Canal With General Indisposition to Sell

Bidding for Portland Canal showed an improvement this morning on the local stock exchange, but insufficient to dislodge any of the stockholders generally preferring to await the outcome of the tunnel scheme.

Offerings in Coronation Gold were very cheap, and there was a dearth of buying force underlying the shares. Speculation is rife as to what the annual report to be submitted at the meeting next month will reveal, and until that time no fluctuations of importance are looked for.

Canada West Trust drew a stronger support, and the bid price showed a substantial advance from yesterday, but it is a long time since any sales of the issue were effected on the exchange, and generally only minor quantities are on the market.

	Bid.	Asked.
Blackbird Syndicate	100.00	..
B. C. Life	..	125.00
B. C. Trust Co.	100.00	..
B. C. Packers, com.	140.00	..
B. C. Refining Co.	.43	..
B. C. Copper Co.	2.00	..
Crow's Nest Coal	..	70.00
C. N. P. Fisheries	..	1.25
Can. P. S. Lumber Co.	..	2.00
Can. Cons. S. & R.	82.00	91.00
Coronation Gold	..	.51
Dominion Trust Co.	100.00	..
G. W. Perm. Loan	126.00	..
Granby	73.00	76.00
International Coal & Coke	.29	.36
Lucky Jim Zinc	.03	.06
McGillivray Coal	.13	.18
Nugget Gold	..	.20
Portland Canal	.02½	.03½
Pacific Loan	21.00	..
Rambler Cariboo	.25	.33
Red Cliff	..	.09
Standard Lead	..	1.25
Snowstorm	.21	.26
Stewart M. & D.	..	.50
Sheep Star	..	.50
S. S. Island Creamery	7.50	..
Stewart Land	..	2.00
Victoria Phoenix Brewing	110.00	..

Unlisted.

American Marconi	8.00	8.25
B. C. Coal & Oil	..	55.00
Canadian Marconi	..	5.75
Canadian Northwest Oil	..	.01
Can. West Trust	56.00	..
Can. Pac. Oil	.02	.08
Glacier Creek	..	.05½
North Shoot Ironworks	..	.35
Bakeries, Ltd.	..	11.00
Can. Loan & Mercantile	..	.55

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WHEAT PRICES LOSE HALF A CENT ON NEWS

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Foreign news was a little mixed for the wheat trade this morning. Liverpool market was weak and lower under favorable Argentine conditions and the larger American shipments of last week. On the other hand Russia fell down materially on the wheat supply for the week, and world's shipments fell under the estimate. The one important consideration for the trade from a demand and supply point of view was the enormous run of wheat to the three big markets of Northwest. The big end of this movement in Canadian wheat which is coming forward is unexpected volume and earlier in the season than usual. There is nothing to indicate that the great run of wheat in the Northwest country will not continue for some time with finer weather. Under these influences futures lost half a cent.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Sept.	85¾	85¾	85	85
Dec.	88	88	87¼	87¾
May	92¾	93	92¼	92¾
Corn—				
Sept.	71	71¾	70¾	70¾
Dec.	71	71¼	70¾	70¾
May	72¼	72¾	71¾	71¾
Oats—				
Sept.	41¾	41¾	41	41¼
Dec.	43	43	42¼	42¾
May	46¼	46¼	45¾	45¾
Pork—				
Sept.	21.90	21.90	21.90	21.90
May	20.00	21.02	20.00	20.02
Lard—				
Sept.	....	....	....	10.95
May	11.02	11.05	11.02	11.02
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	10.90	10.92	10.90	10.92
May	10.37	10.00	10.55	10.55

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WINNIPEG WHEAT PRICES WEAK AT CLOSE

Winnipeg, Sept. 30—Wheat prices were steady at the opening and held for greater part of the morning, but weakened at the close. Oats were steady. Flax firm at the opening, but off later.

Receipts were extremely heavy, being 1,739 cars inspected and 1,600 in sight. Weather conditions are ideal for threshing and delivery.

Cables closed: Liverpool, unchanged to ¼ lower; Paris, ¼ to ½ up; Berlin, ½ lower; Budapest, ½ lower; and Antwerp, ¼.

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
Oct.	83¾	82¾
Dec.	83¾	82
May	88¼	87¼
Oats—		
Oct.	35¾	35¾
Dec.	35¾	35¾
May	40	40¼
Flax—		
Oct.	124¼	122¾
Nov.	125¼	123¼
Dec.	124	123

Cash prices: Wheat—1 Nor., 82½; 2 Nor., 81¼; 3 Nor., 79¼; 4 Nor., 75. Winter wheat—No. 1, 85½; No. 2, 82½; No. 3, 80.

Oats—No. 2 C. W., 35; No. 3 C. W., 33½; extra No. 1 feed, 34½.

Barley—No. 3, 46; No. 4, 43; feed, 41.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., 120½.

HISTORIC HOME DESTROYED.

Dover, Eng., Sept. 30.—Another of England's famous old historic homes, Waldershire Park Mansion, residence of the Earl of Guilford, was destroyed by fire early to-day. No evidence was found to connect the suffragettes with the fire.

THE CITY MARKET

Oils.	
Pratt's Coal Oil	$1.85
Eocene	1.75
Meats.	
Hams (Swift's), per lb.	.26
Bacon (Swift's), per lb.	32@ .32
Hams (American), per lb.	.25½
Premium Bacon	.35@ .40
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	.18@ .20
Veal, per lb.	.20@ .30
Suet, per lb.	.15
Beef, per lb.	12½@ .30
Mutton, per lb.	12½@ .25
Lamb, hindquarter	.30
Lamb, forequarter	.29
Farm Produce.	
Fresh Island Eggs	.50
Butter, Comox	.45
Butter, Salt Spring	.50
Lard, per lb.	.25
Cowichan Butter	.55
Pastry Flours.	
Seal of Alberta, per bbl.	7.25
Moffet's Best, per sack	1.65
Moffet's Best, per bbl.	7.25
Western Canada Flour Mills.	
Purity, per sack	1.85
Purity, per bbl.	7.25
Hungarian Flour.	
Royal Household, per sack	1.90
Royal Household, per bbl.	7.50
Robin Hood, per sack	1.90
Robin Hood, per bbl.	7.50
Hungarian, Royal Standard, per sack	1.85
Hungarian Royal Standard, per bbl.	7.25
Five Roses, per sack	1.90
Seal of Alberta, per sack	1.90
Snowflake, per sack	1.75
Snowflake, per bbl.	6.90
Five Roses, per bbl.	7.50
Wild Rose, per sack	1.75
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.75
Rolled Oats, 7-lb. sack	.35@ .40
Rolled Oats, 20-lb. sack	1.05
Rolled Oats, 40-lb. sack	1.95
Rolled Oats, 80-lb. sack	3.50
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	.50
Oatmeal, 50-lb. sack	2.25
Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs.	.65
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	.55
Wheat Flakes, per packet	.35
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	12½@ .45
Graham Flour, 10 lbs.	.40
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	1.75
Feed.	
Wheat, chicken feed, per ton	35.00@35.00
Wheat, per lb.	.01½@ .02¼
Oats	35.00@35.00
Crushed Oats	35.00@35.00
Eastern Washington Hay, ton	27.00@27.00
B. C. Hay (baled), per ton	18.00@20.00
Straw, per ton	16.00
Middlings, per ton	30.00
Bran, per ton	29.00
Ground feed, per ton	33.00
Shorts, per ton	32.00
Poultry.	
Ducks, per lb.	.30
Chickens, roasters	.35
Chickens, broilers	.40
Chickens, fryers	.35
Fowl	.25
Fruit.	
Plums, per basket	.20
Bananas, doz.	.25@ .35
Grapefruit, per doz.	1.00
Lemons, doz.	.40
Apples, per box	1.00@ 1.50
Peaches, crate	.85
Vegetables.	
Cabbage, lb.	.03
Onions, 7 lbs. for	.24
Potatoes, Island, sack	1.00
Carrots	.02
Turnips	.02
Beets	.03
Fish.	
Salmon, Red Spring, lb.	.15
Other Red Salmon	.10
Salmon, White Spring, lb.	.08
Halibut, per lb.	.10
Cod, 3 lbs.	.25
Herring, lb.	.10
Finnan Haddie, lb.	.15
Bloaters, lb.	.12½
Shrimps (imported), lb.	.25
Crabs, 2 for	.25
Crabs (imported), lb.	.15
Salmon Bellies, lb.	.15
Flounders, lb.	.15
Soles, lb.	.10
Kippers, lb.	.12½
Salt Mackerel, lb.	.20@ .25
Smelts, lb.	.10@ .12½
Haddie Fillets	.20

WHOLESALE MARKET.

Bacon	.24
Bananas	.06½
Beets, per sack	2.00
Cabbages, per lb.	.02@ .03
Cheese, September delivery	.17@ .17½
Chestnuts	.16
Hams	.23½
Grapefruit, per box	6.00@ 7.50
Peanuts, roasted	.11
Parsley, per doz.	.50
Shrimps (alive), per lb.	.35
Lemons	8.50@ 9.50
Walnuts, per lb.	.20@ .22
Oranges (new Valencia)	6.75
Turnips, per sack	1.50
Turnips (white)	1.75
Westham Island Potatoes, ton	15.00@18.00
Local potatoes (new), per ton	23.00
Local carrots	1.50
Cauliflower, per doz.	1.75
Eggs (local)	.40
Fresh Eggs (Acme)	.37
Select Eastern Eggs	.31
Extra Select Eastern Eggs	.32
Lard	.13½@ .14½
Haddies, per lb.	.11
Kippers	.08
Celery (Okanagan), doz.	.90
Garlic, loose	.03
Garlic, string	.12½
Green Onions	.40
Radishes	.35
Local Rhubarb	.02½@ .03
Tomatoes (local), per crate	1.00@ 1.50
Plums	.90@ 1.25
Peaches	.75@ .85
New Apples	.85@ 1.50
Bartlett Pears, boxes	2.25
New Blackberries, per crate	2.00
Casaba Melons, doz.	2.50@ 3.75
New California Malaga Grapes	2.25
Rose Peru Black Grapes	2.00
Tokay Grapes	2.00@ 2.50
Cornichon	2.50
Egg Plant, per lb.	.15
Concord Grapes, per basket	.65
Red Cabbage, lb.	.04
Walla Walla Sugar Corn, doz.	.35
Globe Artichokes, per doz.	1.25
Cucumbers (imported)	.75@ 1.00

ELECTRICITY TRAINED TO SPANK SCHOLARS

Huntington, W. Va., Sept. 30.—The sight of two electric "spankers" being installed in two of the city's schools has been the cause of a transformation in the deportment of the unruly pupils in both institutions, according to Wilson M. Foulk, superintendent.

The "spankers" work on the plan of a vibratory massage machine. Mr. Foulk expects the two schools in which they were installed to have the best average in deportment of all schools in the city for the month of September. In both schools in the past discipline has been maintained only by teachers who were exceptionally strong of arm and courage.

FROZEN IN IN ARCTIC.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 30.—Mrs. Louise Lane, wife of the commander and owner of the power schooner Polar Bear, received a cable message from Nome to-day, saying that the vessel had been frozen in near Flaxam, in longitude 146, at the mouth of Canning river. This means that the ship and men must remain in the Arctic until next summer.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES FOR TO-MORROW

First race, about five furlongs, Fraser course:

Amando	119
Gaiety Girl	114
Halworth	119
Ernest H.	114
*Calla	114
Garvanzo	114
O'Konite	117

Second race, six furlongs, selling, three-year-olds and upwards:

Vireq	109
*Cuvina	109
*Trocha	106
L. of the Forest	111
Pontefract	111
Prince Winter	117
Mono Lake	111

Third race, six and a half furlongs, selling, three-years-olds and upwards:

Retente	106
Delmas	114
*Sapadra	106
Tom G.	112
Spalding	117
Nina Muchacho	114
Joe Frank	114

Fourth race, six furlongs, selling, three-year-olds and upward:

Jas. Blackstock	108
Safranor	107
Sallie O'Day	112
Capt. Lindsley	107
Lillian Ray	108
Dr. Neufer	112
Moller	110
Masalo	108

Fifth race, six furlongs, selling, three-year-old and upwards:

*Marsand	105
*Kid Nelson	103
Ancestors	108
Stare	110
Palatable	114
Mazurka	105

Sixth race, seven furlongs, selling, three-year-olds and upwards:

Cool	110
*Jewel of Asia	106
Phillistina	107
Mary Emily	110
Gaty Fallen	110
Swede Sam	107

Seventh race, seven furlongs, selling, four-year-olds and upwards:

Quick Trip	102
Shawnee	107
*Stoneman	102
Binocular	107
Lady Renssalear	107
Zinkand	107

Eighth race, one mile, selling, three-year-old and upwards:

Beada	112
Ossian	112
Jack Jackson	112
Flying	112
*Sporting Life	107
Nebraska Lass	112

Note.—Sapadra ran as Sir Padre.

*Five pounds apprentice allowance.

Ladies' day to-morrow, September 30th.

SHOT BY FIRST WIFE.

Los Angeles, Sept. 30.—Called from the breakfast table by a ring of the doorbell, Frank Ivy, a real estate dealer, was shot down to-day by his first wife in the presence of his second wife and their two babies. The first Mrs. Ivy, who was divorced in 1904, fired two bullets into his abdomen, and dropped the revolver. Ivy picked it up and fired a bullet into her leg as she ran down the street. Ivy is probably fatally wounded. Mrs. Ivy, the first, is in jail, only slightly hurt.

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DEACON TRIAL PROCEEDS

Case Depends on How Logs He is Accused of Stealing Were Marked.

Alfred J. Deakin, accused of appropriating logs in the San Juan river belonging to the British Canadian Lumber Company, has occupied the attention of Mr. Justice Gregory and the jury at the assizes since the opening. Frank Higgins opened the defence this morning, just one witness being called before adjournment for luncheon.

H. B. Robertson, in presenting the prosecution, brought the manager of the British Canadian Lumber Company, G. J. Davis, who swore that Francois Beaudoin, an employee of Deakin, had suggested that he look in a certain boom belonging to Deakin and see if there weren't some of his company's logs there. On looking he found eight logs, marked with a cross or three chips, the mark he used to identify his logs. Beaudoin, it was shown had had a disagreement with Deakin over wages, and told Davis that Deakin had gathered in some loose logs from the river into this boom. Beaudoin admitted under cross-examination that he had a grudge against Deakin.

Lorne Wilson testified that he had gathered the logs into the boom at Deakin's orders. He did not think he was doing anything wrong as he did not observe that the logs were marked in any peculiar way. He knew, however, that the logs did not bear Deakin's mark, L. U. X. Wilson gave his evidence under the protection of the crown that it would not be used against him.

A. Beauchene, the defence witness called this morning, said that the marks on the logs might have been made in cutting off knots or in other ways. He had never known logs to be marked for identification in British Columbia, although it is common practice in the east.

SCHOOL BOARD TO-DAY

Trades and Labor Council Have Opportunity of Expressing Opinion on Union Labor.

The Trades and Labor Council has secured consent from the school board to receive a deputation to-day to urge that the word "union" and not "standard" be the guiding rule in contracts let by the board. This issue is of interest just now when the fenders have to be called for the Hollywood and Quadra street schools.

The plans of these two schools, which are now before the board for final approval, show a considerable difference from those of the Oaklands and Burnside schools, just constructed. Instead of having flat roofs, they will have slant ones, with slates, although the facade is very similar in each case.

The Quadra street school has been designed by C. E. Watkins, while the Hollywood school was won in public competition by Spurgin and Wilkins.

It is possible that the plans of the James Bay four-room school may be ready for presentation to the board on this occasion.

UNITED STATES TARIFF BILL GOES THROUGH

Washington, D. C., Sept. 30.—By a vote of 234 to 103, the House to-day agreed to the conference report on the tariff bill as it came from the conference committee. Four Democrats voted against its adoption. The cotton futures amendment will be voted on separately.

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Public Auction

of the goods will start on

Friday, October 3

at 3 o'clock sharp, and will be continued on Saturday at the same hour, and again in the evening at 8 o'clock. Every rug in this collection must go without reserve. The collection includes specimens from Sarouk, Kirmanshah, Kershan, Boukhara, Tabriz, Mahal, Kazak, etc., each piece being the finest of its make, having been chosen by experienced Oriental buyers. For further particulars, apply to the auctioneer.

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A car will meet the 9 o'clock train from Victoria and the 10.30 interurban train. Lunch will be served on the grounds. Catalogue and other particulars will be furnished by the auctioneer.

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MEETING OF PROTEST WILL BE SUMMONED

Increase of Street Car Fares to Be Discussed; Committee to Probe Grievances

A mass meeting of citizens to discuss the increase in fares of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company is to be held as a result of the decision of the city council last evening.

The matter was introduced by an application from the Victoria Laborers' Protective Union, asking the council to organize a public protest meeting, and a letter from the mayor urging action along the lines of forcing the company to live up to the terms of the franchise.

The council decided to leave with the finance committee the question of what meeting hall should be obtained and the date of the meeting. They also referred Mayor Morley's suggestions in connection with the action of the company to a special committee.

The mayor in his communication pointed out that no action had been taken in connection with the determination to force the company to live up to the franchise, and urged that the government should force the company to respect the provisions contained therein. He said that the members of the committee had shown very little interest when the subject was taken up in the spring.

Aldermen Cuthbert and Dilworth did not recollect any very energetic steps to get in touch with the British Columbia Electric officials except at Deep Bay in June, when their relations seemed of a most cordial character. This was the occasion of the opening of the Saanich-Interurban line.

The mayor said he had a very lively recollection of what had taken place, and of the opposition shown by the aldermen when they met in committee.

Alderman Cuthbert promised the report of the committee if the council would leave it open for a week.

Alderman McNeill feared that the company had a blanket charter, and until he looked into the details he was not prepared to vote.

Alderman Cuthbert observed that in Vancouver the council was discovering the result of refusal to negotiate about the charters last year, when the districts could have secured better terms by making the charters in all the districts surrenderable at a definite date.

The subject was then left on the understanding that the committee should get down to business during the present week.

LIGHTS ARE ALL READY

Esquimalt System Inspected and Found in Good Shape for Opening October 1.

A careful test of the 75 new street lights in Esquimalt was conducted yesterday by the British Columbia Electric Railway Company and A. B. Ellis, clerk of the municipality, reported to the council last night that all was in first class shape with the exception of one defect in the circuit which will be corrected before the day fixed for the opening of the service, October 1. The council decided that the lights should be lit from 7 p. m. until 2 a. m., to begin with, but they may be started earlier as soon as the days grow shorter. The police officer will have the key to the switchboard.

The council decided that henceforth all sewer contractors in the municipality must post a bond of $100 with the engineer in addition to the ordinary merchant's license fee of $10.

The question of fire protection was postponed indefinitely because of the heavy cost of paying the fee which the city demands for the use of the city equipment. Broad street, at the request of the B. C. Marine Railway is to be improved by laying a top surface of crushed rock and cinders.

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TO REPORT ON LABOR

City Council Appoints Committee After Debate on Employees at Waterworks Undertaking.

The celebrated list of names of employees on the city waterworks undertaking will be subjected to the scrutiny of a committee consisting of Aldermen Cuthbert, Dilworth, Fullerton and Porter. This was the decision reached at the city council meeting yesterday.

Several of the aldermen bitterly criticized the administration of affairs at Sooke Lake, Alderman Fullerton in particular. He declared that ten men who went down there the other day had been refused employment, that if the by-law for Sooke should be beaten on Thursday it would be largely due to this neglect of Victoria's own citizens, and that a thorough investigation should be held to find out who was responsible.

Alderman Cuthbert said the municipal bureau had been "jollied" out of business. There were only some thirty voters on the employment list. It was not surprising that white men would not allow themselves to be bossed by Montenegrin foremen.

The mayor observed that if they were not on the city list it was safe to say they were on the provincial list.

The British Columbia Federation of Labor will be supplied particulars on the situation with regard to employment bureaus operated in the city.

DEATH WAS AN ACCIDENT

Evidence Did Not Disclose Cause of Pipe's Fall Which Killed W. J. Pendray.

Evidence at the inquest concerning the death of William J. Pendray Saturday morning failed to show the exact cause of the fall of the pipe which struck Mr. Pendray. Two workmen were hammering the pipe, and it was thought that this might have loosened the joint. The other theory was the pipe was insecurely fastened. A. Blanco, engineer at the plant, inspected the pipe and found that there was a flaw in the casting, but was unable to say whether this had any effect on the accident or not. The verdict was accidental death.

WANT ACT AMENDED.

Separate Assessment and Collector's Rolls Inconvenience to Oak Bay and Esquimalt.

A joint deputation consisting of representatives from Oak Bay and Esquimalt municipal councils will wait upon the government at an early date and ask for an amendment of the act requiring separate rolls to be kept by the municipal assessor and collector. At Oak Bay council last night J. S. Floyd pointed out the inconvenience and danger of mistakes from having separate rolls. Esquimalt having already signified its intention of taking this step, Oak Bay council decided last night to join. A draft of the single roll proposed will be taken along.

The municipalities of Nice and Lyons, encouraged by successful experiments at Genoa, have resolved to pave the leading streets with a specially prepared glass.

ACCEPT RESIGNATION OF ANDREW WRIGHT

Council Not Inclined to Oppose Directors of Hospital as to Limiting Tenders

Having received the report of the special committee that met Andrew Wright in connection with his resignation from the directorate of the Royal Jubilee hospital, the council last evening decided by a vote of 4 to 4 to accept the resignation, thereby approving the action of the majority of the hospital directors.

The objection was not, of course, to Mr. Wright, whose services all the aldermen praised, but to the principle that he was opposed to the restriction of tenders for the new hospital building to Canadian firms only.

Aldermen Fullerton, Cuthbert, Dilworth and McNeill all strongly supported the stand of the hospital directors in favor of limiting the tenders to British contractors, saying that as Mr. Wright stood for a principle in which they were not in sympathy, they had no alternative but to allow the course which he had himself adopted to be carried out, viz., that of resignation.

A special committee, which had conferred on the subject with Mr. Wright, recommended that the resignation should not be accepted. The mayor and Alderman Meston signed the report, but Alderman Dilworth dissented.

Alderman McNeill pointed out that it would be a most improper procedure to have open bids, and then limit the award to Canadian firms.

Alderman Meston said the council's experience with public buildings in and around Victoria proved the humbug about these matters. At the present time the government had let the contract for the provincial jail to a company that was not in the business, which brought in an American company to do the work.

The mayor told the council that a great deal of sentimental hash had been served up to them that night, and referred to experiences in the council when tenders had been let to Canadian firms, which had later introduced Americans into the country to do work for them. Such experience had occurred in connection with the building of Point Ellice bridge. If the local contractor could not meet his competitor in open bidding, then he ought to get out of business. There was too much petting of local concerns.

The motion to adopt the report of the committee was then put and lost by a tie vote which, of course, negatives the question.

The Trades and Labor Council asked for the nomination of a direct representative on the board of directors of the Royal Jubilee hospital, as has usually been the case. J. W. Bolden was the late representative, but Mr. Bolden is now a representative of the provincial government.

The subject will have consideration.